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1859 **L. S. Walker.**
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1862 **S. P. Groves.**
1868 **C. W. Sabine.**
1869 **J. B. Ravenscroft.**
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1870 **D. A. Perrin.**
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1873 **C. B. Besse.**
1873 **J. P. Yungling.**
1874 **W. A. Cross.**
1874 L. W. Thrall.
1875 **G. M. Whitzell.**
1877 **N. B. Cooksey.**
1877 J. W. Flint.
1877 **W. H. Gannaway.**
1877 J. W. McNeil.
1878 **G. A. Seed.**
1880 **J. H. Ford.**
1880 **William Powis.**
1880 M. H. Ewers.
1881 **L. Cramp.**
1881 **J. G. Dee**
1883 **R. D. Woodley.**
1883 W. T. Morris.
1884 **J. W. Jackson.**
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1884 W. R. Bradley.
1884 M. C. McKown.
1884 J. H. Jones.
1885 **W. W. Edwards.**
1885 B. A. Hoar.
1885 J. W. Britton.
1886 **C. W. Campbell.**
1886 **J. T. Huffman.**
1886 **J. C. Orr.**
1887 J. E. Nickerson.
1887 J. Y. Reid.
1887 Albert Harris.
1888 Greenlee Calvert.
1888 J. G. Harmon.
1888 **Albert Vandaveer.**
1889 W. T. Cline.
1889 **J. T. Murkin.**
1889 Adam Yingst.
1890 C. W. Shumard.
1890 **W. Kiesling.**
1890 M. B. Baker.
1890 Z. J. Farmer.
1891 **D. T. Harris.**
1891 **J. E. Burke.**
1891 **William Carson.**
1891 C. E. Bovard.
1891 W. J. Hopper.
1891 Charles Atchison.
1891 J. C. Kinison.
1892 Samuel Albrecht.
1892 W. H. Poole.
1892 Laurence Smith.
1892 J. A. Taylor.
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1898 S. A. D. Rogers.
1898 W. L. Cunningham
1899 J. H. Davis.
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1900 G. R. Goodman.
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1902 G. W. Hanks.
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SPECIAL SERVICES

2 P. M. Tuesday—Devotional Services—J. G. Harmon.

2:30 P. M.—Examination of Undergraduates.

7:30 P. M.—Epworth League Hour—L. A. Magill, presiding. Address by J. G. Tucker.

2 P. M. Wednesday—Missionary sermon by W. H. Whitlock.

3 P. M.—Missionary address by Dr. Harry Farmer.

4 P. M.—Address on Evangelism by Rev. L. C. Bentley.

7:30 P. M.—Home Missions and Church Extension—Rev. D. D. Forsyth.

2 P. M. Thursday—Anti-Saloon League—Rev. E. S. Shumaker.

3 P. M.—Evangelistic Hour—Rev. L. C. Bentley.

4 P. M.—Methodist Preachers' Benefit Association.

7:30 P. M.—Freedmen's Aid—Dr. Robinson. Education—Rev. G. F. Ream. Conference Claimants—Rev. M. S. Marble.

2 P. M. Friday—Woman's Home Missionary Society—Miss Johnson, Mrs. Mitchell, Rev. Mr. Bernheim.

3 P. M.—The Conference Orphanage—Dan W. Hopkins, Mrs. Minnie E. Smith.

4 P. M.—Evangelism—Dr. L. C. Bentley.

8 P. M.—Lecture by Bishop Wm. A. Quayle. Subject: "Napoleon Bonaparte—Democrat."

2 P. M. Saturday—Board of Sunday Schools. Address by Dr. W. S. Bovard.

3 P. M.—Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—Miss Genevieve Capps, Dr. W. S. Bovard, Bishop Wm. A. Quayle.

4 P. M.—Conference Claimant Endowment—F. M. Van Treese and Rev. M. S. Marble.

7:30 P. M.—Educational Addresses—Governor Chas. S. Deneen and President H. W. Hurt, LL.D.

Disciplinary Questions

The Sixty-fifth Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in Robinson, Ill., from October 4 to October 8, 1916, Bishop William A. Quayle presiding; Secretary, Z. J. Farmer, Eldorado; Statistician, A. R. Ransom, Altamont; Treasurer, Guy Dewhirst, St. Francisville; Registrar, J. D. Shaddrick, Centralia.

1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirement of the Discipline? Yes.

2. Who have been received by Transfer, and from what Conference? A. C. Geyer, from the Rock River Conference; H. H. Young, from the Illinois Conference.

3. Who have been readmitted? Amos Loy, in studies of the Third Year.

4. Who have been received on Credentials, and from what Churches? Stephen W. Webb, from the Free Baptist Church, placed in studies of the Third Year; George W. Dane from the M. E. Church, South.

Elder's orders recognized.

5. Who have been Received on Trial? (a) In Studies of First Year. Edwin Kitt, Carl W. Mallinson, William E. Shafer, Arthur F. Zimmerman.

(b) In Studies of Third Year. None.

6. Who have been Continued on Trial? (a) In Studies of First Year. F. G. Heslet, A. W. Hendrix, Wm. E. Kirby, Virgil Pool, Chas. E. Reed, Carl J. Streubing, Benj. F. Wininger, Chas. E. Hogue, J. W. Tucker.

(b) In Studies of Second Year. Cecil Bundy, James E. Burke, Jr., Clinton E. McDuffee, Laurence G. Murray, Otto Horsley, Leslie G. Beers, Fred Bedwell, John W. Campbell, Joseph D. Ewers, John O. Manning, Henry M. Merkel, Horace F. Oakes, James B. Prichard, James O. Richardson, Chas. L. Stokes, Sylvester Sechrest, Geo. S. Wilson.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year. Samuel M. Spurgeon, Samuel C. Lackey.

7. Who have been Discontinued? James E. Burke, Jr., B. F. Wininger.

8. Who have been admitted into Full Membership? (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year. William G. Anderson, Joseph Burrows, Ralph Coppage, John C. Fouts, Frank D. Hopkins, Charles S. Mundell, James L. Miller, Julian W. Nave, Raymond A. Reeves, Thomas C. Stokes, Hayes R. Wardell, Frederick D. Menze.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously. None.

9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year? (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year. Stephen W. Webb. William G. Anderson, Joseph Burrows, Ralph T. Coppage, John C. Fouts, Frank D. Hopkins, Chas. S. Mundell, James L. Miller, Julian W. Nave, Raymond A. Reeves, Thos. C. Stokes, Hayes R. Wardell, Frederick D. Menze.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously. Arthur E. Bunton, Oscar E. Brown, Robert O. Clements, Ernest Connett, Earl F. Hicks, Bernard Rogers, Wellington Huntsberry, Charles Smith, Louis C. Winter, Martin L. Watson, Wm. C. Hogue.

10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year? William C. Bruce, Noah Douthitt, James H. Davidson, Samuel C. Lackey, Samuel A. Livingstone, Laurence A. Magill, Loren E. Page, Robert M. Peters, Samuel M. Spurgeon, Orville W. Tate, John W. Williams, Theodore B. McClain, John N. Presley (on condition of reading books).

11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study? (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year. William E. Bennett, Marion S. Bumpus, Eli Crouse, James S. Dever, Valentine W. Elston, Charles Hatton, Lawrence M. Hight, James A. Lee, Tennis A. Martin, Leroy J. Mitchell, Edgar E. Montgomery, Charles Ramsden, Earl E. Reisner, George Streubing, Carlton R. Wade. (John W. A. Kinison and John A. L. Warren to be Ordained at the Rock River Conference.)

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously. Herman A. Litherland.

12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons? (a) As Local Preachers? Oscar Mitzel.

(b) Under Missionary Rule. William E. Kirby, Missionary to the North Africa Mission.

(c) Under Seminary Rule. None.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders? (a) As Local Deacons. None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule. None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule. None.

14. Was the Character of each Preacher Examined? It was, and their character was passed.

15. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences? H. J. Armitage, to the West Wisconsin Conference; W. L. Botkin, to the Southwest Kansas Conference; Harry Culbertson, F. H. Knight and John F. Glotfelty to the Rock River Conference; Noah Douthitt to the Northwest Kansas Conference; Samuel L. Ford to the New Mexico Conference; Joseph Burrows to Rock River Conference.

16. Who have Died? Edmund Barnes, T. H. Herdman, James M. Mulvaney, J. A. Scarritt.

17. Who have been Located at their own Request? None.

18. Who have been Located? None.

19. Who have Withdrawn? D. D. Collins, W. C. Hogue.

20. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints? None.

21. Who have been Expelled? None.

22. What other Personal Notation should be made? John W. A. Kinison and John A. L. Warren were graduated from the Conference Course of Study and recommended to the Rock River Conference for Elder's orders.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation? First Year—L. R. Mauk, M. G. Buchanan, George W. Edwards, George Hoots. Second Year—R. O. Clements, M. B. Holloway. Third Year—F. M. Latham. Fourth Year—W. O. Finks, W. L. Jones, L. C. Wilkin. Fifth Year—William Carson.

24. Who are the Retired Ministers? C. B. Besse, J. E. Burke, J. J. Boyer, C. W. Campbell, W. A. Cross, Lemuel Cramp, O. H. Clark, N. B. Cooksey, J. G. Dee, J. P. Dew, W. W. Edwards, J. H. Ford, W. H. Gannaway, S. P. Groves, D. T. Harris, H. O. Hiser, J. T. Huffman, J. W. Jackson, Willard Kiesling, R. W. Laughlin, H. L. Merrick, J. T. Murkin, J. C. Orr, D. A. Perrin, William Powis, J. B. Ravenscroft, C. W. Sabine, G. A. Seed, Albert Vandaveer, Levi S. Walker, G. M. Webber, G. M. Whitsell, J. P. Yungling, R. D. Woodley, James S. Hall, John W. Deweese, Joseph McCracken, Wellington Huntsberry, T. De Witte Peake.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals? W. T. Cline, J. W. McNeill, A. C. Geyer, R. M. Peters, Z. J. Farmer. Alternates—M. B. Baker, C. D. Shumard.

26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension? $8,415.

27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions? $11,323.

28. What is the Statistical Report? See the Statistician's Report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report? See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? $54,298.

31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund? $17,810.

32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied? See report of Conference Stewards.

33. What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief? $413.

34. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants? $11,000.

35. Where are the Preachers Stationed? See List of Appointments.

36. Where shall the next Conference be held? Marion, Ill.

Appointments

Carbondale District

2—W. T. Morris, Superintendent, Carbondale, Ill.

Anna, 1.....C. R. Wade E
Boaz.....To be Supplied
Buncomb, 2....John O. Manning P
Cairo, 3.....J. W. Cummins E
Carbondale, 4....J. S. Cummins E
Carbondale Ct.....To be Supplied
Carterville, 1.....J. G. Harmon E
Chester, 1.....S. S. Smith E
Corinth, 2.....Ernest Connett D
Coulterville, 2...J. W. Williams D
Crab Orchard, 3.....
..... Sylvester Sechrest P
Creal Springs, 2.....J. A. Bell E
Cypress, 3.....J. R. Slaten E
Du Quoin, 1.....L. W. Thrall E
Eddyville, 5.....J. H. Davidson D
Elco, 2.....W. R. Hammons S
Elizabethtown, 1....W. H. Davis S
Elkville, 3.....W. C. Harms E
Golconda, 2.....T. J. Haney E
Herrin, 2.....J. W. Webster E
Johnston City, 2.....S. D. Berst E
Jonesboro, 3.....V. N. Gould E
Karnak.....To be Supplied
Makanda, 1.....L. G. Murray P
Metropolis, 2.....V. B. Sullens E
Metropolis Ct., 2..Wm. C. Bruce D
Marion, 4.....Laurence Smith E
Mound City, 1....J. B. Johnson E
Mounds, 2.....G. A. Dunn E
Murphysboro, 2..C. L. Peterson E
New Burnsides, 2.Thos. C. Stokes E
Olive Branch, 3..W. R. Bradley E
Pinckneyville, 1.....J. E. Shafer E
Reevesville, 1...C. W. Campbell E
Sparta, 2.....Albert Harris E
Steelville, 3....D. O. McRoberts E
Tamaroa, 1.....L. M. Hight E
Thebes, 1.....W. C. Wigham E
Ullin, 2.....A. E. Bunton E
Vergennes, 1.....Chas. Atchison E
Vienna, 1.....C. S. Tritt E

Centralia District

6—S. A. D. Rogers, Superintendent, Centralia, Ill.

Alma, 5.....Pierre DeLain S
Altamont, 2.....A. R. Ransom E
Ashley, 1.....J. W. Britton E
Avena, 2.....C. E. Bovard E
Beaucoup, 1.....S. W. Webb D
Beaver Creek, 1.J. O. Richardson P
Beckemeyer & Breese, 2.....
.....T. E. Harper E
Beecher City, 1...C. L. Streubing P
Boulder & Centenary, 1.....
.....J. W. Campbell P
Brownstown, 1.....E. T. Carroll E
Carlyle, 1.....J. Y. Reid E
Central City, 3...Chas. Ramsden E
Centralia, 1.....J. D. Shaddrick E
Coffeen & Fillmore, 1.O. W. Tate D
Donnellson, 5...Greenlee Calvert E
Effingham, 2.....W. I. Terhune E
Farina, 1.....C. R. Yost E
Greenville, 2.....C. H. Spragg E
Hagerstown, 1.....Edwin Kitt P
Herrick, 2.....N. D. Sweeny E
Huey, 4.....Oscar Mitzel S
Irvington, 1.....Frank Brown E
Kinmundy, 2.....J. W. McNeill E
Laclede, 1.....Adam Yingst E
Litchfield, 4.....Ralph Wakefield E
Mason, 3.....R. M. Brown E
Moccasin, 2.....Joseph Ewers P
Mulberry Grove, 2..J. W. Tucker S
Nashville, 3.....S. H. Hoar E
New Douglass & Walshville, 1
.....L. C. Winter D
Odin, 2.....M. C. McKowen E
Okawville, 2.....V. W. Elston E
Patoka, 1.....R. T. Coppage D
Pocahontas, 2.....D. W. Baker E
Ramsey, 1.....M. H. Ewers E
Richview, 2.....C. T. Hatten E
Salem, 1.....P. R. Glotfelty E
Sandoval and Shattuc, 4.....
.....C. B. Latimer E
Shobonier, 1....G. W. Anderson D
Sorento and Panama, 1.....
..... S. A. Livingstone D
St. Elmo, 3.....J. M. Adams E
Trenton and New Baden, 5.....
.....George Fidler E
Vandalia, 4.....C. D. Shumard E
Vernon, 1.....H. H. Young E
Walnut Hill, 1.....M. L. Watson D
Wamac, 2.....Julian Nave D
Watson, 1.....J. W. Willis S

East St. Louis District

2—C. C. Hall, Superintendent, 1115 College Avenue, East St. Louis, Ill.

Alton—
First Church, 2....A. C. Geyer E
Washington St., 1.....
.....W. Y. Critchley S
Wesley, 2.....M. J. Mumford E
Batchtown, 1.....G. W. Dane D
Belleville—
Epworth, 2.....F. D. Menze D
First Church, 3....J. H. Jones E
Bethalto, 2.....R. O. Clements E
Brighton, 1.....C. H. Hoffmire E
Bunker Hill, 3.....S. C. Lackey D
Collinsville, 2.....Theo. Cates E
East St. Louis—
Alta Sita, 3.....J. S. Dever E
Bond Avenue, 1..G. W. Hanks E
Century, 2.....J. A. Lee E
First Church, 3.....
.....Cameron Harmon E
Slavonic Mission..To be Supplied
State Street, 1.....E. F. Hicks D
Edwardsville, 2....Robert Morris E
Elsah, 7.....W. J. Fahnestock E
Freeburg, 1.....H. W. Olinger S
Gillespie, 2.....T. B. Sowers E
Glen Carbon, 2.....R. E. Buford S
Godfrey, 4.....J. B. House S
Grafton, 2.....Marion Jackson E
Granite City—
Dewey Ave., 1.....Wm. Evans S
Niedringhaus, 1....J. H. Davis E
Hamburg, 1.....E. W. Barrett E
Jerseyville, 1.....F. O. Wilson E
Kane, 2.....B. A. Hoar E
Lebanon, 2.....W. H. Whitlock E
Madison, 1.....Samuel Thero E
Marissa, 3.....P. H. Hearn E
Medora, 3.....F. D. Hopkins D
Mount Olive and Hornsby, 1....
.....F. M. James E
O'Fallon, 1.....C. E. Sisney E
Piasa, 1.....J. E. Nickerson E
Plainview, 1.....C. L. Stokes P
Shiloh and Caseyville, 1.....
.....C. W. Smith D
Shipman, 1.....T. A. Martin E
Signal Hill, 1.....R. A. Reeves D
St. Jacobs, 1.....A. W. Hendrix P
Staunton, 1.....M. B. Baker E
Tilden, 2.....S. A. Mathews E
Troy, 2.....J. W. Smith E
Venice and Renault, 1.....
.....Eli Crouse E
Waterloo and Livingston, 1.....
.....Arthur F. Zimmerman P
Wood River.....To be Supplied

Mount Carmel District

2—J. A. Taylor, Superintendent, Post Office, Mount Vernon, Ill.

Albion, 2.....H. A. Litherland E
Belmont, 1.....E. H. McKenzie E
Benton, 2.....L. S. McKown E
Bethel, 2.....Wm. E. Shafer P
Big Prairie, 1....W. W. Kemper E
Broughton .....To be Supplied
Browns, 1.....W. J. Hopper E
Carmi, 2.....O. F. Culver E
Carrier Mills, 1.....C. W. Hall E
Christopher, 1.....W. M. Brown E
Crossville, 1.....G. H. Hall E
Dahlgren, 1.....Geo. S. Wilson P
Dorrisville, 1.....J. W. Leslie S
Eldorado, 1.....Zelah J. Farmer E
Enfield, 2.....W. E. Bennett E
Equality, 3....E. E. Montgomery E
Fortney, 1.....Emory Allen S
Frankfort Heights, 3.....
.....Otto Horsley P
Galatia, 1.....B. H. Batson E
Grayville, 2....W. D. Richardson E
Harrisburg, 1....C. B. Whiteside E
Ina, 1.....L. G. Beers P
Lone Oak, 1.....J. M. Smith S
Macedonia, 2.....S. A. Morgan E
Maunie, 2.....W. A. Sharp E
McLeansboro, 2...J. B. Cummins E
McLeansboro Ct., 4..C. M. Prince S
Mill Shoals, 2.....O. E. Brown D
Mount Carmel, 4....J. G. Tucker E
Mount Vernon—
Epworth, 1...Chas. S. Mundell D
First Church, 2....W. T. Cline E
Wesley Church, 2.....
.....H. E. McKnight E
Circuit, 1.....M. S. Bumpus E
Norris City, 1.....L. M. Leyerle E
Omaha, 1.....A. A. Hagler S
Opdyke, 1.....H. N. Wills E
Ridgway, 3.....O. E. Connett E
Sessor, 1.....J. L. Miller D
Shawneetown, 1.....H. F. Oakes P
Waltonville, 1.....G. A. Phelps E
Wayne City, 1.....J. N. Presley D
West Frankfort, 2..J. C. Kinison E
.....Virgil Poole P

Olney District

6—W. H. Poole, Superintendent, Olney, Ill.

Allendale, 1.....C. E. Hogue P
Bible Grove, 1....O. O. Maxfield E
Bone Gap, 1.....O. B. Kinsey E
Bridgeport, 2.....L. W. Porter E

Calhoun, 2 .....H. B. Shoaff E
Chauncey, 1.....Fred Bedwell P
Cisna and Rinard, 1.....
.....E. G. Wininger E
Claremont, 4.....J. C. Fouts D
Clay City, 4.....C. C. Cullison E
Dieterich, 2.....I. G. Flick E
Fairfield, 2.....J. W. Flint E
Fairfield Ct., 1..Samuel Albrecht E
Flat Rock, 2.....Fay Marriott E
Flora, 2.....M. C. Foltz E
Friendsville, 1.....Charles Harms S
Golden Gate, 1.....C. E. Reed P
Hutsonville, 3.....A. S. Weiss E
Iuka, 2.....Wm. Cisna S
Jeffersonville, 1..C. E. McDuffee D
Lawrenceville, 5..O. L. Markman E
Louisville, 1.....J. E. Willey E
Mount Erie, 1....H. R. Wardell D
Newton, 3.....H. W. Smoot E
Noble, 2.....N. S. Lanter E
Oblong, 2.....C. R. Phillips E
Oblong Ct., 2.....W. L. Rhein E
Olney, 2.....Ressho Robertson E
Palestine, 3.....G. R. Goodman E
Pinkstaff, 1.....T. B. McClain D
Robinson, 3.....M. H. Loar E
Sailor Springs, 1....C. A. Curry S
St. Francisville, 2..Guy Dewhirst E
Sumner, 3 .....R. M. Peters D
Sumner Ct., 1.....L. E. Page D
West Liberty, 2.....
.....Geo. C. Streubing E
West Salem, 2....E. E. Reisner E
Wheeler, 1 .....J. B. Prichard P
Willow Hill, 2.....L. A. Magill D
Yale, 1.....Carl W. Mallinson P
Xenia, 1.....W. L. Cunningham E

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

W. C. Walton, Professor in McKendree College, Member Lebanon Quarterly Conference.

W. F. Fransee, Professor in McKendree College, Member Lebanon Quarterly Conference.

G. E. McCammon, Executive Secretary Wesley Foundation, Urbana, Ill., Member Mount Vernon, First Church, Quarterly Conference.

F. M. Van Treese, Corresponding Secretary Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission, Member First Church, East St. Louis, Quarterly Conference.

S. M. Spurgeon, Field Secretary Anti-Saloon League, Member Patoka Quarterly Conference.

F. G. Heslett, Instructor in Mission Schools, Albuquerque, N. M., Member Mount Carmel Quarterly Conference.

Leroy J. Mitchell, Conference Evangelist, Member First Church, Mount Vernon, Quarterly Conference.

The following were left without appointments to attend one of our schools:

Bernard Rogers, Member of Centralia Quarterly Conference.
Charles Smith, Member of Lebanon Quarterly Conference.
V. W. Bell, Member of Thebes Quarterly Conference.
L. E. Winters, Member of Yale Quarterly Conference.
W. C. Evers, Member of Godfrey Quarterly Conference.
J. L. Rentfro, Member of Mason Quarterly Conference.
Henry M. Merkel, Member Lebanon Quarterly Conference.
J. A. L. Warren, Member St. Jacobs Quarterly Conference.
J. A. Landis, Member of Venice Quarterly Conference.
W. H. McPherson, Member of McLeansboro Quarterly Conference.
J. W. A. Kinison, Member of Lebanon Quarterly Conference.
C. W. Moorman, Member of Ramsey Quarterly Conference.
Amos Loy, Member of Mason Quarterly Conference.

William E. Kirby, Missionary to North Africa Mission, Member of Lebanon Quarterly Conference.

Cecil Bundy to attend school, Shawneetown Quarterly Conference.

Daily Proceedings

FIRST DAY

Wednesday, October 4, 1916.

The Southern Illinois Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in its sixty-fifth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Robinson, Ill., on the fourth day of October, 1916, at 8:30 A. M., Bishop W. A. Quayle, presiding.

The Bishop led the devotional hour and appointed the pastor of the Church, M. H. Loar, and J. W. Cummins, with a number of elders, to administer the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Roll Call—The Assistant Secretary of the last Conference called the roll and the following answered to their names:

J. M. Adams, Charles Atchison, Samuel Albrecht, W. E. Bennett, Oscar E. Brown, W. M. Brown, Ray M. Brown, M. B. Baker, D. W. Baker, M. S. Bumpus, W. R. Bradley, J. W. Britton, S. D. Berst, J. A. Bell, V. W. Bell, E. W. Barrett, B. H. Batson, William C. Bruce, Eli Crouse, Greenlee Calvert, William Carson, Theodore Cates, E. T. Carroll, O. H. Clark, O. F. Culver, J B. Cummins, J. W. Cummins, J. S. Cummins, W. L. Cunningham, W. T. Cline, O. E. Connett, C. C. Cullison, Ernest Connett, James S. Dever, Guy Dewhirst, J. H. Davis, G. A. Dunn, J. H. Davidson, V. W. Elston, Z. J. Farmer, George Fidler, J. W. Flint, M. C. Foltz, I. G. Flick, S. P. Groves, G. R. Goodman, P. R. Glotfelty, V. N. Gould, Charles T. Hatten, L. M. Hight, C. C. Hall, J. S. Hall, G. H. Hall, C. W. Hall, W. C. Harms, J. G. Harmon, Cameron Harmon, Albert Harris, G. W. Hanks, H. O. Hiser, B. A. Hoar, S. H. Hoar, C. H. Hoffmire, W. J. Hopper, E. F. Hicks, J. T. Huffman, P. H. Hearn, T. J. Haney, J. B. Johnson, Marion Jackson, J. H. Jones, F. M. James, W. W. Kemper, M. H. Loar, N. S. Lanter, H. A. Litherland, L. M. Leyerle, J. A. Lee, S. A. Livingston, T. A. Martin, O. L. Markman, L. R. Mauk, G. E. McCammon, J. E. McCracken, L. S. McKown, M. C. McKown, H. L. Merrick, J. W. McNeill, W. T. Morris, Robert Morris, Fay Marriott, O. O. Maxfield, H. E. McKnight, D. O. McRoberts, E. E. Montgomery, L. J. Mitchell, L. A. Magill, T. B. McClain, J. E. Nickerson, C. R. Phillips, W. H. Poole, L. W. Porter, William Powis, G. A. Phelps, Loren E. Page, J. N. Presley, R. M. Peters, C. L. Peterson, E. E. Reisner, Charles Ramsden, J. B. Ravenscroft, W. L. Rhein, Ressho Robertson, S. A. D. Rogers, W. D. Richardson, A. R. Ransom, J. Y. Reid, J. R. Slaten, C. W. Sabine, J. D. Shaddrick, C. D. Shumard, S. S. Smith, J. W. Smith, J. E. Shafer, H. W. Smoot, C. H. Spragg, N. D. Sweeny, V. B. Sullins, H. B. Shoaff, W. A. Sharp, C. E. Sisney, G. C. Streubing, J. A. Taylor, C. S. Tritt, W. I. Terhune, Samuel Thero, L. W. Thrall, J. G. Tucker, O. W. Tate, F. M. Van Treese, C. R. Wade, Ralph Wakefield, J. W. Webster, C. B. White-

side, W. H. Whitlock, F. O. Wilson, R. D. Woodley, Allen S. Weiss, L. C. Wilkin, E. G. Wininger, W. G. Wigham, J. W. Williams, M. L. Watson, Adam Yingst.

The Following Probationers Answered to Roll Call

Leslie G. Beers, Fred Bedwell, John W. Campbell, Arthur Hendrix, Otto Horsley, John O. Manning, Virgil Poole, James O. Richardson, James B. Prichard, Sylvester Sechrest, Charles T. Stokes, Benjamin F. Wininger, George S. Wilson, Charles E. Reed, Carl J. Streubing, Frederick D. Menze, James E. Burke, Joseph Burrows, Hayes R. Wardell, Julian W. Nave, Thomas C. Stokes, Raymond A. Reeves, James L. Miller.

Transfers—The Bishop announced the following transfers:

In: A. C. Geyer, from the Rock River Conference. Out: F. H. Knight, to the Rock River Conference; H. J. Armitage, to the West Wisconsin Conference; W. L. Botkin, to the Southwest Kansas Conference; Noah Douthitt, to the Northwest Kansas Conference; Harry Culbertson, to the Rock River Conference.

Question XIX—Who have withdrawn: D. D. Collins.

Organization—Z. J. Farmer was reëlected Secretary and named the following assistants: C. B. Whiteside, S. H. Hoar, Samuel Thero, J. W. Williams.

Guy Dewhirst was elected Treasurer and nominated the following for his assistants: W. A. Sharp, N. S. Lanter, C. S. Tritt, O. E. Connett, T. E. Harper, Joseph Burrows.

A. R. Ransom was reëlected Statistical Secretary and nominated as his assistants: C. E. Sisney, W. G. Wigham, F. M. James, W. E. Bennett, H. B. Shoaff, L. A. Magill.

W. J. Hopper was reëlected postmaster of the Conference.

Bar of the Conference—The auditorium of the church was fixed as the bar of the Conference.

Memorial Services—The following members and wives of members of the Conference having died during the year the Conference stood while their names were called: J. A. Scarritt, T. H. Herdman, J. M. Mulvaney, E. Barnes, Mrs. Asa Snell, Mrs. Adam Yingst, Mrs. Theodore Cates, Mrs. L. A. Harper. The memorial address was delivered by C. D. Shumard.

Telegram—A telegram was received announcing the death of E. Barnes. On motion of C. C. Hall the Conference instructed the Secretary to send a telegram to M. H. Ewers and L. Cramp, requesting them to represent the Conference at the funeral of Brother Barnes on next Friday. On motion of E. T. Carroll the Secretary was instructed to send a message of condolence to Mrs. Barnes on behalf of the Conference.

Roll Call—The roll of retired preachers was called and their characters passed. The names of the supernumerary preachers were called and characters passed.

The roll of effective elders was called and their characters passed.

The characters of all members of Conference passed.

Reports—W. T. Morris, District Superintendent of the Carbondale District, read his report. The names of the charges on the Carbondale District were called and the pastors reported the collections and the additions to the Church.

S. A. D. Rogers, Superintendent of the Centralia District, read his report. The names of the charges of the Centralia District were called and the pastors reported their collections and additions to the Church.

Drafts—The Bishop announced a draft of $34 from the Rose Bequest and a draft of $3,383 from the Book Concern. These drafts were taken by J. Y. Reid, Treasurer of the Board of Stewards.

The Secretary announced a draft of $100 from the Sarah J. Snell Memorial Fund of Carmi, Ill. Also a draft for $12 rental from the adding machine which was turned over to G. E. McCammon for the Board of Trustees.

Report—C. C. Hall, Superintendent of the East St. Louis District, read his report.

Methodist Review—J. W. Webster was appointed solicitor for the *Methodist Review.*

Introductions—Dr. Harry Farmer, of the Philippine Islands, was introduced and made an address.

E. H. Rue, representing the *World Outlook*, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

A. C. Geyer, who was transferred from the Rock River Conference, was introduced.

Official Program—On motion of W. H. Poole the printed program was made the official program of the Conference.

After announcements were made, the benediction was pronounced by J. W. Flint.

SECOND DAY

Thursday, October 5, 1916.

8:30 A. M.—Devotions—Bishop William A. Quayle led the devotional hour speaking on the subject, "Knowledge."

Business—Bishop Quayle in the chair. The Journal of Wednesday's session was read, corrected and approved.

Roll Call—The Secretary called the roll of those absent at yesterday's roll call. The following answered to their names:

Frank C. Brown, M. G. Buchanan, W. A. Cross, R. O. Clements, J. W. Deweese, W. J. Fahnestock, O. B. Kinsey, C. B. Latimer, S. C. Lackey, S. A. Mathews, M. J. Mumford, E. H. McKenzie, Laurence Smith, T. B. Sowers, J. H. Willey.

The Following Probationers Answered to Roll Call

Charles E. Hogue, William G. Anderson, John C. Fouts, Frank D. Hopkins, Charles S. Mundell, Laurence G. Murray.

Transfers—The Bishop announced the following transfers: Out: Samuel L. Ford, to the New Mexico Conference; John F. Glotfelty, to the Rock River Conference.

Referred—The following were referred to the Committee on Conference Relation for change of relation from effective to supernumerary: L. R. Mauk, G. W. Edwards, J. E. McCracken, George Hoots, M. G. Buchanan. From effective to retired: J. S. Hall, R. D. Woodley, J. W. Deweese, T. DeWitte Peake, W. Huntsberry.

Telegram—A telegram was received from M. H. Ewers acknowledging receipt of the telegram of the Conference of yesterday regarding the funeral of E. Barnes, and that he would comply with the direction of the Conference.

Distribution of the Minutes—On motion of the Secretary the plan for the distribution of the minutes was made the same as last year.

Reports—J. A. Taylor, Superintendent of the Mt. Carmel District, read his report.

The charges on the East St. Louis District were called and the pastors reported the collections taken and the additions to the Church.

The charges of the Mt. Carmel District were called and the pastors reported the collections and the additions to the Church.

Wesley Hospital—The Rev. M. W. Satterfield, D.D., Corresponding Secretary and Chaplain of the Wesley Memorial Hospital, Chicago, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question VIII—Who have been admitted into full membership?

(a) Elected and ordained deacons this year: William G. Anderson, Joseph Burrows, Ralph T. Coppage, John C. Fouts, Frank D. Hopkins, James L. Miller, Charles S. Mundell, Julian W. Nave, Raymond A. Reeves, Thomas C. Stokes, Hayes R. Wardell.

Question XI—What members have completed the Conference course of study?

(a) Elected and ordained elders this year: William E. Bennett, Marion S. Bumpus, Eli Crouse, James S. Dever, Valentine W. Elston, Charles T. Hatten, Laurence M. Hight (John W. A. Kinison to be ordained at the Rock River Conference), James A. Lee, Tennis A. Martin, Edgar E. Montgomery, Charles Ramsden, Earl E. Reisner, George C. Streubing, Carlton R. Wade (John A. L. Warren, to be ordained at the Rock River Conference.)

Question XXII—What other personal notations should be made?

John W. A. Kinison and John A. L. Warren were elected to elders orders to be ordained at the Rock River Conference.

Reports—W. H. Poole, Superintendent of the Olney District, read his report.

Introductions—M. S. Marble and E. S. Shumaker of the Northwest Indiana Conference; J. W. Robinson, Chicago, representing the Freedmen's Aid Society, were introduced to the Conference.

Conference Claimants—F. M. Van Treese, Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission, read his report, which report was received.

Motion of G. E. McCammon that the matter of increase of endowment be referred to the commission was carried.

Addresses—The Rev. J. W. Robinson, representing the Freedmen's Aid Society, addressed the Conference.

The Rev. E. S. Shumaker, representing the Anti-Saloon League, addressed the Conference.

Miss Eunice I. Britt, deaconess, representing the Kansas City National Training School, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question VI—Who have been continued on trial?

(b) In studies of the second year: Cecil Bundy, Clinton E. McDuffee, Laurence G. Murray. Discontinued: James E. Burke, Jr., was discontinued.

Question VIII—Who have been admitted into full membership?

(a) Elected and ordained deacons this year: Frederick D. Menze.

Question X—What members are in studies of the fourth year?

Samuel C. Lackey was continued in studies of the fourth year?

Question XV—H. J. Armitage was transferred to West Wisconsin.

Question XI—What members have completed the Conference course of study?

(b) Elected and ordained elders previously: Herman A. Litherland.

Report—The list of charges of the Olney District was called and the pastors reported collections and additions.

All district superintendents have read their reports and all the pastors reported collections and additions.

Question VI—Who have been continued on trial?

(a) In studies of the fourth year.

Samuel Spurgeon was continued in studies of the fourth year.

Question X—What members are in studies of the fourth year?

William C. Bruce, Noah Douthitt, James H. Davidson, Samuel A. Livingston, Laurence A. Magill, Loren E. Page. Robert M. Peters, Orville W. Tate, John W. Williams, Theodore B. McClain. John M. Pressley conditioned on reading books.

The following were continued in studies of the third year: Ernest Connett, Earl F. Hicks, Bernard Rogers, Charles Smith, Louis C. Winter, Arthur E. Bunton, Oscar E. Brown, Robert O. Clements, Wellington Huntsberry, Martin L. Watson.

Question XI—What members have completed the Conference course of study?

(a) Elected and ordained elders: Edgar E. Montgomery, Leroy J. Mitchell.

Order of the Day—On motion of J. Y. Reid, Friday morning immediately after the reading of the minutes was fixed as the time for selecting the place for holding the next Conference.

Committee on Foreign Missions—The following committee on Foreign Missions was appointed: W. H. Whitlock, O. F. Culver, H. W. Smoot, J. W. Cummins, F. O. Wilson.

Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by Dr. M. S. Marble.

THIRD DAY

Friday, October 6, 1916.

8:30 A. M.—Devotions—Bishop Quayle led the devotions, his subject being "The Art of Life."

Journal—The minutes of Thursday's session were read and approved.

Adding Machine—The Conference directed that the $12 rental for the adding machine be placed in the hands of the Conference Treasurer.

Question XXV—Who are the Triers of Appeals?

W. T. Cline, J. W. McNeill, A. C. Geyer, R. M. Peters, Z. J. Farmer. Alternates: M. B. Baker, C. D. Shumard.

Order of the Day—Question XXXVI—Where shall the next Conference be held? Metropolis and Marion were placed in nomination. A standing vote was taken and Marion was selected. On motion of V. B. Sullins pastor at Metropolis, Marion was chosen unanimously.

Question XXIII—Who are the Supernumerary Ministers?

First year: L. R. Mauk, M. G. Buchanan, George W. Edwards, George Hoots.

Question XXIV—Who are the Retired Ministers?

The following were retired and their cases referred to the Board of Stewards: R. D. Woodley, J. S. Hall, John W. Deweese, J. E. McCracken, W. Huntsberry, T. DeWitte Peake.

Draft—Dr. M. S. Marble, representing the Board of Conference Claimants, presented the Conference with a draft for $250 from the Board of Conference Claimants. Dr. Marble addressed the Conference.

Question V—Who have been received on Trial? (a) In studies of the first year? Arthur F. Zimmerman, Carl Mallinson, Edwin Kitt, William E. Shafer.

Organic Union—B. A. Hoar offered a resolution on organic union between the M. E. Church and the M. E. Church, South. The resolution was adopted. (See resolution.)

M. B. Holloway—A select number of nine on the case of M. B. Holloway was ordered. The chair appointed J. W. Flint as chairman of this committee: Committee: Ressho Robertson, C. R. Phillips, J. G. Tucker, J. C. Kinison, J. S. Cummins, C. L. Peterson, P. H. Hearn, M. J. Mumford, F. O. Wilson. G. E. McCammon was appointed attorney for the Church, and J. W. McNeill attorney for the defendant.

Board of Trustees—M. B. Baker read report number one of the Board of Trustees which was adopted. (See report No. 1.)

Education—The report of the Committee on Education was read by Ralph Wakefield. Report adopted.

Wesley Foundation—G. E. McCammon, Executive Secretary of the Wesley Foundation, addressed the Conference.

Dr. J. R. Harker—Joseph R. Harker, president of the Illinois Woman's College, Jacksonville, Ill., was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Introduced—The Rev. Jacob Bernheim of Chicago, representing the Woman's Home Missionary Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question XVII—Who have been located at their own request? None.

Question XX—Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints? None.

Question XXI—Who have been expelled? None.

Missionary Rule—William E. Kirby, missionary to the North Africa Mission, was elected to Deacon's Order under the Missionary Rule.

Order of the Day—Bishop Quayle gave an address on the subject, "Inside of the Cup," by Churchill.

Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Theodore Cates.

FOURTH DAY

Saturday, October 7, 1916.

8:30 A. M.—Devotions—The devotional exercises were conducted by Bishop Quayle who spoke on the subject, "What is the Christian Religion?"

Journal—The minutes of Friday's session were read, corrected and approved.

Question III—Who have been re-admitted? Amos Loy.

Board of Examiners—The following Board of Examiners was appointed: J. G. Harmon, J. W. Cummins, Cameron Harmon, Ralph Wakefield, O. F. Culver, H. W. Smoot, O. L. Markman, F. O. Wilson, W. H. Whitlock, Ressho Robertson, W. C. Walton, R. M. Peters, W. T. Cline, J. G. Tucker, C. L. Peterson, J. D. Shaddrick, M. J. Mumford, P. R. Glotfelty.

Question IV—Who have been received on credentials and from what Churches? Stephen W. Webb, from the Free Baptist Church, and his orders as a Deacon recognized and admitted into full membership and placed in the studies of the Third Year. George W. Dane from the M. E. Church, South, and his elder's orders recognized.

Question XII—What others have been elected and ordained deacons? (a) As local deacons, Oscar Mitzel; (b) under missionary rule, William E. Kirby; (c) none.

Question XIII—What others have been elected and ordained elders? (a) As local deacons, none; (b), under missionary rule, none; (c), under seminary rule, none.

Select Number—Select number of nine in case of M. B. Holloway reported and report accepted. M. B. Holloway was continued in the supernumerary relation, and it was ordered that the proper disciplinary steps be taken looking to his location by the Conference at its next session.

C. B. Spencer—C. B. Spencer, editor of the *Central Christian Advocate*, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Offering—It was announced that the offering taken at Bishop Quayle's lecture on Friday night amounted to $156.72. The Bishop announced that this amount would be distributed among the pastors who had had sickness in their families during the year.

Committee on Central Christian Advocate—C. C. Hall moved that a committee of five be appointed to confer with Dr. Spencer concerning his wishes for the *Central Christian Advocate.* The motion prevailed and the following committee was appointed: C. L. Peterson, Cameron Harmon, J. G. Tucker, Ralph Wakefield, N. S. Lanter.

Reports—The following reports were read and adopted: Board of Trustees No. 2, joint meeting of the Board of Trustees, Board of Managers of the Old People's Home, and Board of Managers of the Orphanage, Foreign Missionary Society, Board of Managers of the Orphans' and Children's Home, Committee of Finance, Board of Stewards, Conference Claimants, Periodicals and Publications, Hospitals, Freedmen's Aid, Bible Society, Church Insurance, Epworth League, District Conference Journals, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Church Extension, Class Meetings, Sunday Schools, Standing Committees.

Resolution—A resolution presented by S. A. D. Rogers in regard to the Salem Church, was adopted. (See resolution.)

Statistics—Report of the Statistician was accepted without reading.

Nominations—The district superintendents nominated members of the various boards and the nominations were confirmed.

Introduced—The Rev. W. S. Bovard was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Board of Sunday Schools.

Question XIX—Who have withdrawn? W. C. Hogue was allowed to withdraw from the Church upon surrender of his credentials.

F. M. Van Treese—On motion of C. C. Hall the Bishop was requested to reappoint F. M. Van Treese corresponding secretary of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission.

Address to Class—The class for admission was called and addressed by the Bishop. After satisfactory answer to the usual disciplinary questions the class was admitted into full membership.

Afternoon Session—On motion of C. C. Hall a session of the Conference was ordered for four o'clock this afternoon.

Announcements were made, after which the Conference adjourned with the benediction by O. H. Clark.

Afternoon Session

Conference met at 4 P. M. Bishop Quayle in the chair.

Conference Claimants' Endowment—Dr. F. M. VanTreese and Bishop Quayle addressed the Conference in the interest of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund.

Reports—The following reports were received and adopted: *Central Christian Advocate,* Visitor to the Illinois Woman's College, Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission, Pastoral Address, Deaconess Board, Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Publisher of the Minutes—On motion of J. C. Kinison the Secretary was ordered to edit all reports, and that the printed minutes be the official Journal of the Conference. Also that the Secretary, Z. J. Farmer, be appointed publisher of the minutes for next year.

Dr. J. W. VanCleve—On motion of J. G. Tucker the Secretary was directed to send the love and sympathy of this Conference, to Dr. J. W. Van Cleve, a former member of this Conference, in his illness.

Minutes—On motion of J. C. Kinison the Secretary was instructed to send a free copy of the minutes to each Conference Claimant.

Journal—The minutes of the forenoon session and of the afternoon session were read and approved.

S. A. D. Rogers moved that the special appointments be requested of the Bishop. Motion carried.

T. R. Ragsdale's case was referred to C. C. Hall, District Superintendent of East St. Louis District.

Certificate of Ordination

I hereby certify that at Robinson, Ill., on the 8th day of October, 1916, I ordained as Deacons the following:

William G. Anderson
Joseph Burrows
Ralph Coppage
John C. Fouts
Frank D. Hopkins
Charles S. Mundell
James L. Miller
Julian W. Nave
Raymond A. Reeves
Thomas C. Stokes
Hayes R. Wardell
Frederick D. Menze
Oscar Mitzel

And also on the same day at the same place, assisted by Elders, I ordained as Elders the following:

William E. Bennett
Marion S. Bumpus
Eli Crouse
James S. Dever
Valentine W. Elston
Charles Hatton
Lawrence M. Hight
James A. Lee
Leroy J. Mitchell
Tennis A. Martin
Edgar E. Montgomery
Charles Ramsden
Earl E. Reisner
George Streubing
Carlton R. Wade

All under the authority of the election of the Southern Illinois Conference.

WILLIAM A. QUAYLE.

FIFTH DAY

October 8, 1916.

9 A. M.—Annual Conference Love Feast—Led by J. B. Ravenscroft.

10:30 A. M.—Sermon by Bishop William A. Quayle, from the text found in Luke 22:29, I appoint unto you a kingdom.

2:30 P. M.—Ordination Services—Bishop Quayle ordained the following named ministers as Deacons: William G. Anderson, Joseph Burrows, Ralph T. Coppage, John C. Fouts, Frank D. Hopkins, Charles S. Mundell, James L. Miller, Julian W. Nave, Raymond A. Reeves, Thomas C. Stokes, Hayes R. Wardell, Frederick D. Menze, and Oscar Mitzel.

And also assisted by elders Bishop Quayle ordained the following named Deacons to the office of Elder in the Church of God: William E. Bennett, Marion S. Bumpus, Eli Crouse, James S. Dever, Valentine W. Elston, Charles Hatton, Lawrence M. Hight, James A. Lee, Leroy J. Mitchell, Tennis A. Martin, Edgar E. Montgomery, Charles Ramsden, Earl E. Reisner, George Streubing, and Carlton R. Wade.

7:30 P. M.—Bishop Quayle gave an address on "The Bible."

An offering was taken for the necessary Conference expenses.

The report on resolutions was read and approved.

Bishop Quayle read the appointments, after which the Conference adjourned without day.

We certify that the foregoing is a correct journal of the minutes of the Southern Illinois Conference of 1916.

WILLIAM A. QUAYLE, *Bishop.*
ZELAH J. FARMER, *Secretary.*

Reports of Committees

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

Resources

Balance from last year	$ 451.80
From Book Concern	3,383.00
From Connectional Fund	250.00
From Snell Memorial	100.00
From Rose Bequest	34.48
From the Charges	7,855.55
From the Love Feast Collection	133.27
Total	$12,208.10

Disbursements

Expenses of Board	$ 6.72
To Book Concern	38.59
Paid Claimants	11,822.00
Balance on hand	340.79
Total	$12,208.10

DETAILED DISBURSEMENTS

Name	By whom Taken	Amount
C. B. Besse	Treasurer	$225
J. J. Boyer	J. E. McCracken	138
J. E. Burke	Treasurer	60
C. W. Campbell	L. W. Thrall	156
O. H. Clark	Self	288
N. B. Cooksey	Treasurer	120
L. Cramp	Treasurer	174
W. A. Cross	Self	180
J. G. Dee	Treasurer	204
J. P. Dew	Treasurer	120
J. W. Deweese	Treasurer	150
W. W. Edwards	Treasurer	138
J. H. Ford	Treasurer	222
W. H. Gannaway	Treasurer	216
S. P. Groves	Self	264
J. S. Hall	Self	180
D. T. Harris	Treasurer	140
H. O. Heiser	Self	72
J. T. Huffman	Self	150
Willard Huntsberry	Treasurer	75
J. W. Jackson	Treasurer	140
Willard Kiesling	Treasurer	108
R. W. Laughlin	Self	180
J. E. McCracken	Self	140
J. T. Murkin	Treasurer	130
J. C. Orr	Treasurer	96
T. DeWitt Peake	Treasurer	282
D. A. Perrin	Treasurer	156

William Powis	38	Self			$228
J. B. Ravenscroft	45	Self			300
C. W. Sabine	38	Self			250
G. A. Seed	30	Treasurer			275
A. Vandaveer	21	Treasurer			132
L. S. Walker	28	Treasurer			168
G. M. Webber	32	Treasurer			192
G. M. Whitzell	9	Treasurer			75
R. D. Woodley	31	Treasurer			186
J. P. Yungling	27	Treasurer			200
Mrs. E. Barnes	39	Treasurer	29 1/4		185
Mrs. C. E. Baker	9	Treasurer	6 3/4		72
Mrs. C. A. Beckett	28	Treasurer	21		130
Mrs. J. H. Bennett	14	Treasurer	10 3/4		125
Mrs. Mary L. Bonner	30	Treasurer	22 3/4		135
Mrs. W. T. Brannum	10	Treasurer	7 3/4		115
Mrs. J. D. Crenshaw	9	Treasurer	6 3/4		125
Mrs. N. Crow	31	Self	23 1/4		140
Mrs. M. E. Cunningham	19	Treasurer	14 1/4		115
Mrs. A. J. Dewhirst	14	Treasurer	10 3/4		115
Mrs. C. T. Douthitt	9	Treasurer	6 3/4		115
Mrs. L. C. English	27	O. H. Clark	20 1/4		210
Mrs. G. W. Farmer	18	Treasurer	13 3/4		150
Mrs. J. W. Franklin	22	Treasurer	16 3/4		125
Mrs. J. D. Gilham	18	Treasurer	13 1/4		115
Mrs. Silas Green	27	Treasurer	21 3/4		135
Mrs. F. W. Grupe	3	Treasurer	2 1/4		150
Mrs. H. H. Keith	17	Treasurer	12 1/4		115
Mrs. J. W. Lock	20	Treasurer	15		115
Mrs. W. D. Margrave	16	Treasurer	12		140
Mrs. J. H. McGriff	32	Treasurer	24		150
Mrs. D. R. Miller	2	Treasurer	1 3/4		115
Mrs. C. O. Morris	9	Treasurer	6 3/4		115
Mrs. D. Oglesby	7	J. B. Stout	5 1/4		125
Mrs. A. G. Proctor	21	Treasurer	15 3/4		115
Mrs. A. Ransom	2	Treasurer	1 3/4		10
Mrs. J. R. Reef	36	Treasurer	27		162
Mrs. J. B. Reynolds	27	Treasurer	20 1/4		135
Mrs. J. A. Robinson	17	Treasurer	12 3/4		115
Mrs. E. Root	12	Treasurer	9		125
Mrs. J. P. Rutherford	19	Treasurer	14 1/4		125
Mrs. G. L. Schaeffer	19	Treasurer	14 1/4		150
Mrs. F. L. Thompson	28	Treasurer	21		126
Mrs. J. B. Thompson	21	Treasurer	15 3/4		115
Mrs. J. W. Tennison	10	Treasurer	7 3/4		175
Mrs. Wm. Tilroe	28	Treasurer	21		126
Mrs. C. J. T. Tolle	12	Treasurer	9		115
Mrs. B. F. Utley	12	Treasurer	9		250
Mrs. Wm. Van Cleve	28	Treasurer	21		126
Mrs. E. E. Waggoner	2	Treasurer	1 3/4		75
Mrs. Samuel Walker	30	J. E. Shaffer	22 3/4		135

The annuity rate was set at $6.

H. L. Merrick, Mrs. C. F. Jay, and Mrs. W. G. Hale, relinquish their claim for this year.

We recommend that the sum of $11,000.00 be apportioned to the charges to be raised next year.

For members of the Board we recommend F. M. Van Treese and J. W. Flint to serve three years; L. W. Thrall and B. A. Hoar to serve two

years; J. Y. Reid and J. C. Kinison to serve one year; also J. B. Stout and W. O. Edwards to serve one year as laymen.

Officers of the Board—

F. M. Van Treese, *President.*
J. W. Flint, *Secretary.*
J. Y. Reid, *Treasurer.*

Respectfully,

J. W. Flint, *Secretary.*

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

That there is an increase among Church members in the matter of Sabbath non-observance is cause for alarm. Our Saviour, Christ said, "It is lawful to do well on the Sabbath day"; but our people in doing, do much that is not "well" on the Sabbath day.

Therefore, be it resolved that we discourage by precept and example every custom which does violence to the sacredness of the day, or tends to deprive *some* of the benefits of its blessing; among which customs we make mention of the following: Patronizing of the grocery stores, meat markets, confectioneries, and news stands; the taking of long and tiresome automobile drives; the beginning of long railroad journeys, all of which lead not only to the spiritual poverty of the patron, but also of those patronized.

H. W. Smoot, *Chairman.*
D. W. Baker, *Secretary.*

COMPLIMENTARY RESOLUTIONS

Resolved, That we, the members of the Southern Illinois Conference, extend our hearty thanks and appreciation to the members of the Robinson Methodist Episcopal Church for the very cordial welcome accorded us, for all the provisions and facilities afforded for conducting the affairs of the Conference. And the people of Robinson, who have so graciously opened their homes to and so royally entertained us and to the entertainment committee which has so earnestly and zealously performed its functions.

To the pastor, M. H. Loar, who in his fine fraternal spirit has labored so untiringly for the comfort and happiness of all in attendance, and who has left nothing undone to make this Conference an helpful and inspiring one.

To Bishop William A. Quayle, who has conducted the affairs of the Conference with such a fine brotherly spirit and for the inspiring and helpful addresses and the masterful lecture given to the great delight and satisfaction of all.

To the Choir and Organist, and to J. D. Shaddrick, George A. Preston, and the Conference Quartette, for the splendid music and unselfish service they have given.

To the city papers for all kindnesses shown.

To J. W. Hopper, Conference Postmaster, for his ever faithful and painstaking care in the performance of his work.

And to all who have contributed in any way to make this Conference the great success that it is.

M. C. Foltz.
C. H. Spragg.

FREEDMEN'S AID

The work of this Society has been carried on for fifty years. The General Conference authorized and directed each pastor to observe the Lincoln Day Anniversary, February 11, 1917, as a Semi-Centennial celebration.

As a result of the work of the Society we have 350,000 colored members and 2,000 ministers to supply these with pastors and intelligent Christian leaders. The twenty-one schools of the Freedmen's Aid Society with their 351 teachers and 5,804 students must be maintained. The solution of the race problem is not to be found wholly on industrial and commercial lines. The uplift of a race means in addition moral and spiritual standards in

accordance with the teachings of Jesus, and these are secured only through the Christian school and the Christian Church. To maintain our present standards and advance them further, we must maintain our Church schools

We recommend, therefore, that each pastor observe Lincoln Day as directed by the General Conference, and that in addition to raising the full apportionment for the work of the Society, an effort be made to secure subscriptions toward a Thankoffering of $100,000 to be used for new buildings and increased equipment sorely needed by these schools.

We further recommend that the program and literature prepared by the society be distributed in our Sunday Schools and public congregations. This literature can be secured on request without cost by sending to the office of the society at 220 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O., a postal card request.

Respectfully submitted,

J. S. Cummins, *Chairman.*
H. A. Litherland, *Secretary.*
P. R. Glotfelty.

BIBLE CAUSE

Recognizing the Bible as the Word of God and the one infallible guide for faith and practice, we urge all our people to read it daily in private and in the family circle. We rejoice in the work done by the American Bible Society in its efforts to reach men of all language, and urge all our people to give it their earnest support.

J. E. Nickerson.
Charles Atchison.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS

We, the committee of District Conference Journals, report that we have carefully examined the journals of the East St. Louis and Carbondale Districts and find them correctly and neatly kept.

Albert Harris.
T. J. Haney.

DEACONESS BOARD

The Board met Friday afternoon of Conference week.

The characters of the following deaconesses were passed and their licenses renewed:—Miss Carrie Johnson, Miss Edith Thrall and Miss Mamie Wilson.

Miss Bessie Smith, having met all the conditions for receiving license and consecration as a deaconess, was duly licensed and her consecration ordered.

Miss Blanch Kinison was received by transfer from the Kansas Conference.

Miss Mable McGuire was received and entered as a probationer.

Appointments—Miss Johnson, Miss Smith and Miss McGuire to the Slavonic Mission, East St. Louis; Miss Thrall to teach in Jennings Seminary, Aurora, Ill.; Miss Wilson to First Church, East St. Louis; Miss Kinison to West Frankfort.

Rev. J. S. Cummins, Rev. C. D. Shumard and Mrs. Ressho Robertson were elected members of the board for three years.

Members of the Board—Rev. James G. Tucker (1917), President; Mrs. W. E. Schwind (1918), Secretary, Olney, Ill; Rev. J. S. Cummins (1919), Rev. C. D. Schumard (1919), Rev. J. G. Harmon (1918), Mrs. Ressho Robertson (1919), Mrs. Sallie Logan (1917), Mrs. H. C. Mitchell (1917), Rev. C. R. Phillips (1918).

James G. Tucker, *President.*
Mrs. Walter E. Schwind, *Secretary.*

RESOLUTIONS

Organic Union

Rejoicing with Christian people in the prospect of a speedy union of the two great families of the Methodist Church in our land, and that all of the plans are soon to be put in operation to perfect the desired union; there fore, be it

Resolved, first, That the Southern Illinois Conference will hail with delight the consummation of the long-prayed-for union.

Resolved, second, That as we are one of the border Conferences, having within our bounds the Illinois Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, that we will begin as early as possible to practice this spirit of active union in our midst.

Resolved, third, That when this good time shall have come, we hope not later than the end of this quadrennium, that we join in singing a doxology of praise to Him who prayed the Father "That they all may be one, as Thou, Father, art in me, and I in Thee, that they also may be one in us; that the world may believe that Thou hast sent me." B. A. Hoar.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

1. We call your attention to the fact that the committee on foreign missions at the General Conference gave much consideration to the report of the secretaries of the board, which has been sent to every pastor under the title of "The World Situation." Among other things this committee recommends:

(a) That the income of the Board of Foreign Missions and the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society be doubled, in order to meet adequately the needs of our work.

(b) That an endowment be created, the income to be used for our educational institutions abroad, and to provide for the administrative part of our work.

(c) That large special sums should be secured for the erection of buildings and the proper equipment for hospitals and educational institutions throughout the world.

2. Reports at the General Conference also show that while there was a great advance in membership during the last quadrennium, our giving to benevolences did not keep pace. So far as foreign missions is concerned our contributions per member per year was forty-nine cents, while that of the Presbyterian Church was one dollar and twenty-nine cents, and that of the United Presbyterian Church two dollars and fifty-seven cents.

We wish to commend these points to the attention of the Conference and urge hearty coöperation.

3. (a) We wish, further, to commend to our district superintendents, the departments of foreign evangelism established by the parent board, through which they offer to send missionary teams into any district where desired for the purpose of creating missionary education and enthusiasm.

(b) To our entire people—The periodicals of the board, the *World Outlook* and *Missionary News,* and many helpful pamphlets made available to us.

(c) And, lastly, the call to earnest, intercessory prayer for the war-stricken Methodists in Europe and its foreign dependents, and in Mexico at our door; and for all the field, both that God may bless the missionaries and give hearts to the reception of the gospel.

We are devoutly thankful to God for the mass movement in India, the continuing revival in Korea and the Philippines, and the literati movement in China, and pledge our support and prayer for the future as well as for the Thru the Year Evangelistic Company in Japan.

W. H. Whitlock.
J. W. Cummins.
O. F. Culver.
F. O. Wilson.
H. W. Smoot.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

McKendree College

Your committee on education rejoices in the progress and present outlook of McKendree College. Under the inspirational leadership of President H. W. Hurt, LL.D., new courses in Bible Study, Social Service, and College History are being offered and the other departments of this glorious old institution are being strengthened.

We recommend that the district superintendents request each pastor to prepare a constituency roll of his charge, upon blanks to be furnished by the college authorities, by means of which the activities, plans and needs of McKendree College may be made known to our entire Methodism in southern Illinois. It shall be understood that such roll shall be available when permission is granted by the presiding Bishop of the Conference for the use of any general church board.

We recommend the appointment of a Board of Lay Visitors, correlated with the Board of Ministerial Visitors, whose selection shall be made by the president of the college with the approval of the Board of Trustees after consultation with the pastors.

We recommend that in harmony with the action of the last General Conference an annual Conference Board of Education shall be established to fulfill all the functions of such board as outlined in the discipline, and we nominate the following to constitute that board for the years 1916 and 1917: Revs. J. W. Cummins, Ralph Wakefield, W. H. Whitlock, O. F. Culver, G. R. Goodman and Messrs. C. M. Roos, P. M. Johnson, Frank Condrey, Dr. Harry C. Moss and John Abbott.

We nominate visitors to McKendree College as follows:

For one year—J. G. Tucker, C. L. Peterson, J. D. Shaddrick.

For two years—C. Harmon, W. T. Cline, W. H. Whitlock.

For three years—O. F. Culver, M. H. Loar, J. W. Cummins.

Alternates—F. O. Wilson, W. I. Terhune, L. S. McCown.

Schools of Theology

We commend the splendid work of our schools of theology and urgently suggest that our young ministers secure the enlarged equipment which they afford through their splendid courses of study.

We nominate the following seminary visitors:

Garrett—C. C. Hall, Alternate W. H. Whitlock.

Boston—E. T. Carroll.

Drew—Ralph Wakefield.

THE WESLEY FOUNDATION

James C. Baker, Director

A substantial beginning has been made this year toward the realization of the plans for the social and religious care of students at the University of Illinois. Citizens of Urbana-Champaign have raised $50,000 to pay for the Wesley Foundation site. This site is central and adequate for present purposes. It is ideal in its location.

The trustees at their annual meeting voted to draw plans at once for the erection of the first building—the social center—at a cost of $100,000. An anonymous friend made the first contribution toward this building, a cash gift of $10,000. Additional special gifts are $5,000 from the Rev. M. P. Wilkin, and $500 from the Rev. L. F. Walden.

Trinity Church has had the most successful year of its history in its work for students. A new feature of its work was a training class in Rural Church Service conducted by Dr. C. L. Stewart. Sixty students enrolled, all of whom expect to spend their life in rural districts. The work was eminently practical and the class attendance averaged ninety per cent of the enrollment. Because the Trinity Church building could not accommodate the numbers of students enrolled for Bible study, the authorities of the University of Illinois granted temporary quarters in the Transportation Building.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

September 1, 1915, to August 31, 1916.

Capital Accounts— Assets		
Local Building Site	$ 44,500	
Unpaid Subscriptions	42,494	
Lands, Stock, Bonds	2,500	
Real Estate, Subject to Annuity	5,000	
Cash in Bank	7,958	
		$ 102,452
Liabilities		
Liability Accounts—		
Indebtedness on Local Site	$ 38,552	
Notes	1,000	
Other Obligations	250	
		$ 39,802
Net Resources		$ 62,650

We recommend Mr. R. H. Harding of East St. Louis for trustee of the Wesley Foundation.

Board of Education

The Children's Day collections, assisting 23,386 students during its history and 2,288 this year is a most deserving agency for good.

We rejoice in the projected educational jubilee and commend it to our people to support.

We recognize in the Christian student a helpful agency in the propagation of the educational interests of the Church.

The Educational Collection

Realizing that funds intended for the endowment of our Conference educational institutions may be unintentionally diverted from their intended channel by improper returns being made to the Conference treasurer by the pastors, we recommend:

That the district superintendents instruct the pastors at the fourth quarterly Conference relevant to their educational returns, so that the division of 80% to the Conference institution and 20% to the General Board shall not infringe upon funds given toward the permanent endowment of our local educational institution.

Woman's College

Rejoicing in the splendid and distinctive work of the Illinois Woman's College at Jacksonville and in its enlarged endowments, we commend it to our young women.

We nominate as visitor to this institution, P. R. Glotfelty.

O. F. Culver, *Chairman.*
Ralph Wakefield, *Secretary.*

CHURCH INSURANCE

In view of the fact that many of our congregations have been through a great financial strain to build and maintain our church property throughout Methodism; and in view of the fact that many of our churches and parsonages are being destroyed by fire, lightning, tornado, etc., and in many of these places the people are not financially able to rebuild;

Resolved, That we, the Committee on Church Insurance, urge upon all our preachers to insist upon all our congregations taking out insurance on both church and parsonage at the earliest possible moment in the Methodist Mutual Church Insurance.

J. E. Shafer,
S. D. Berst.

COMMISSION OF FINANCE

An adequate financial support is indispensable to the propagation of the kingdom of Christ. Giving of one's material substance to the maintenance of the church in her world-wide work is a means of grace and truly an act of worship. Be it therefore resolved:

1. That we rejoice in the improved methods of finance adopted by our General Conference, and that we diligently instruct our people in the duties and blessings of Christian Stewardship as enjoined by our Discipline, and that we urge the adoption of the New Financial Plan on all our charges.

2. That in addition to providing for our regular benevolences, we open our pulpits at such intervals as the needs may demand and the work of the local church may permit, to the representatives of McKendree College, the Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission, the Orphans' Home, the Old People's Home, the Slavonic settlement work, and the Anti-Saloon League.

3. That we carefully protect our official benevolences from the multiplicity of nonofficial appeals often from irresponsible persons, and that our regular boards and benevolent and educational institutions afford unexcelled opportunities for the upbuilding of the cause of Christ and the salvation of souls.

O. L. Markman, –
W. T. Cline.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

The following names are submitted as members of the board of the Old People's Home: F. O. Wilson, Cameron Harmon, J. M. Adams, A. R. Ransom, D. W. Baker, E. T. Carroll, W. I. Terhune, C. H. Spragg, W. H. Whitlock, Ralph Wakefield, O. L. Markman, J. W. McNeill, J. D. Shaddrick.

Trustees' Report No. 2

The Board of Trustees recommends that the Rev. J. S. Cummins be authorized to liquidate the Johnson note and the Salem note out of money he holds in hand for the Board of Trustees; and that he be secured by a note given by the Board of Trustees.

B. A. Hoar was given permission to withdraw from the Board of Trustees.

Ressho Robertson was elected to fill the place made vacant on the Board by the withdrawal of B. A. Hoar.

F. M. VanTreese, G. E. McCammon, C. C. Hall were nominated to serve as members of the Board of Trustees for three years.

F. M. VanTreese was elected chairman of the Board.

C. C. Hall was nominated as president of the board of managers for the Orphanage.

For Members of Board of Managers of Orphanage

For Carbondale District—Laurence Smith, George E. Martin. For Centralia District—P. R. Glotfelty, C. E. Shumaker. For East St. Louis District—Robert Morris, L. B. Alger. For the Mount Carmel District—C. B. Whitesides, V. E. Richardson. For the Olney District—L. W. Porter, N. E. Prince.

F. O. Wilson was nominated as president of the board of managers for the Old People's Home.

M. B. Baker was nominated custodian of the notes for McKendree College.

G. E. McCammon was nominated for treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

A joint field agent is recommended to be appointed to represent the Orphanage and the Old People's Home, the money raised to be divided in the ratio of eighty per cent for the Orphanage and twenty per cent for the Old People's Home.

M. B. Baker, *Secretary.*

A CONFERENCE EDITOR FOR THE "CENTRAL CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE"

Your committee appointed to suggest a means of increasing the efficiency of the *Central Christian Advocate* as a Conference organ, would express appreciation of the spirit of Dr. C. B. Spencer, the editor, and of his desire to serve the interests of this Conference.

With the hearty concurrence of Dr. Spencer, we nominate Dr. Cameron Harmon as Conference editor, with the expectation that he will report our Conference in its educational, material, and evangelistic interests. We pledge Dr. Harmon our hearty coöperation and agree to forward to him items of special and general interest. Realizing that news must reach the office of the *Central Christian Advocate* not later than Wednesday for insertion in the issue of the following Wednesday, we pledge speedy forwarding of all news, for in the *Central*, with its 40,000 circulation, we have a most efficient helper in the work of the Kingdom among us.

C. L. PETERSON, *Chairman.*
RALPH WAKEFIELD, *Secretary.*

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Districts	Auxiliaries	Members	Queen Esther Circles	Members	Home Guards	Members	Jewel Bands	Members	Total Organizations	Total Members	W. H. M.	C. H. M.	Supplies	Vouchers	Cash
Carbondale	10	298	5	75	7	140	8	196	30	630	183	205	$ 572.93	$ 264.94	$1080.57
Centralia	8	173	6	72	1	15	4	69	19	322	134	35	201.19	2612.62	773.84
East St. Louis	5	243	3	40	2	30	4	59	14	365	107	51	453.00	152.26	826.44
Mount Carmel	12	276	5	69	1	10	4	20	22	345	121	34	230.94	361.90	730.39
Olney	12	364	9	127	2	21	5	62	28	560	123	34	272.37	192.33	1322.84
Total	47	1354	28	383	13	216	25	406	113	2359	668	359	$1730.43	$3584.05	$4734.08

Supplies		$ 1,730.43
Vouchers		3,584.05
Cash	$4,734.08	
Cash from last year	86.16	
Cash, supplies	33.00	
Cash, other sources	133.10	
Cash, National Society	300.00	
Cash, other conferences	394.25	
Cash, perpetual members	150.00	
Total Cash		5,680.59
Grand Total		$11,145.07
Lenten offering		$155.00
Jewel life members		15
Junior life members		2
Perpetual members		5
New members		190

Respectfully submitted,

ADELLA B. MITCHELL,
Conference Corresponding Secretary.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Year Ending September 10, 1916

Names of Districts	Auxiliaries	Members	Young People's Soc.	Members	King's Heralds	Members	Little Light Bearers.	Members	Total Organizations	Total Membership	Subscribers to the Missionary Friend	Subscribers to the Junior Friend	Mite Boxes in Use	Boxes sent to Mission Fields	Life Members	Amount Contributed.	Conference Fund
Carbondale	7	228	5	96	5	164	3	53	20	541	88	134	94	....	2	$ 872.34	$10.60
Centralia	14	320	4	125	7	138	4	125	29	708	163	93	65	2	....	1363.40	13.76
East St. Louis	16	372	7	117	5	86	3	60	31	635	195	82	148	4	1	1204.62	15.75
Mount Carmel	13	270	4	130	4	32	4	64	25	496	118	59	128	....	5	1098.80	10.45
Olney	25	735	10	184	12	259	6	148	53	1326	344	120	505	1	3	2767.55	31.95
Conf. Contrib.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	21.00	.....
Total	75	1925	30	652	33	679	20	450	158	3706	908	488	940	7	11	$7327.71	$82.45

Conference Officers

Vice-President .....Mrs. T. A. Wilson, East St. Louis
Vice-President .....Mrs. S. Bohn, Centralia
Secretary .....Miss Genevieve Capps, Vandalia
Treasurer .....Mrs. J. J. Brown, Vandalia
Secretary of Special Work .....Mrs. J. R. Creighton, Fairfield
Superintendent of Young People .....Mrs. L. W. Porter, Bridgeport
Superintendent of Children .....Mrs. C. L. Peterson, Murphysboro
Publicity Chairman .....Mrs. O. L. Markman, Lawrenceville

District Corresponding Secretaries

Carbondale District .....Mrs. Solon Kugler, Pinckneyville
Centralia District .....Mrs. C. S. Ravenscroft, Centralia
East St. Louis District .....Mrs. H. S. Shrigley, Alton
Mount Carmel District .....Mrs. A. S. Anderson, Mount Carmel
Olney District .....Mrs. Ressho Robertson, Olney

Respectfully submitted,

Genevieve Capps.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE ORPHANS' AND CHILDREN'S HOME OF THE SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

This institution for the care of dependent children continues its merciful work of visiting the orphans in their afflictions by providing for them a home with food and raiment. So generous has been the response of the people to the appeals for aid for the work of the home that almost from the beginning it has been filled to its capacity. During the year eighty-eight children have been received and eighty-one have been placed in permanent homes or returned to their parents. Of the number received, thirty-four have been received from the courts, ten retaken from foster homes, and the remainder have been taken temporarily to be returned later to their parents.

One hundred and twenty-two children have found shelter some time during the year in this asylum for the homeless. And yet for lack of room many have been turned from our door. The number of children received represents only about one third of those for whom applications have been made.

We now have in the home thirty-nine children. Nineteen of these are to be returned to their parents; twenty are to be placed in foster homes. Thirty-four of these are of school age and have been placed in school.

The management of the home is very satisfactory. Not only are the physical wants of the children cared for, but an excellent Christian atmos-

phere is maintained. The children are regular in attendance at church and Sunday School and five have been received into the church during the year.

The board of managers requests of pastors their hearty coöperation in securing funds for the maintenance of the Home by opening their pulpits to its representatives and by informing the superintendent of any who might be disposed to remember the Home by bequests. They are also urged to assist in finding homes for children by keeping the people informed of its mission, and its readiness to meet their wants in this way.

A generous donation this year of $2,000 from Mr. D. W. Kirk of near this city has made it possible for us to purchase eleven acres of land lying just east of the Home, on which is located a very good dwelling which, when remodeled, will add considerably to our capacity.

The treasurer reports as follows:

Received from former treasurer	$ 800.17	
Received from superintendent	7,501.29	
Total receipts	$8,301.46	
Paid out during the year		$7,496.68
Balance on hand	$ 804.76	

C. B. Whiteside, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

We stand at the turning point of history. The great war will not only roll up the map of Europe and make it obsolete, but the world will never be the same again. The present and the future bring to the United States an unequaled opportunity to serve God and man. Let us Christianize our own country and thereby prepare the mightiest human agency for the salvation of every man.

Respectfully submitted,

Cameron Harmon, *Chairman.*
S. S. Smith, *Secretary.*

SELECT NUMBER IN CASE OF M. B. HOLLOWAY

The select number of nine appointed to try the case of M. B. Holloway, who had been requested to locate, met in the City Hall, Robinson, Ill., Friday, October 5, at 1 o'clock P. M. and adjourned to meet at 4:30. At the appointed time they met again. Members present: Chairman, J. W. Flint; Attorneys McNeill and McCammon; and of the select number Wilson, Mumford, Tucker, Robertson, Hearn, Cummins and Kinison.

Upon investigation it was found that the proceedings had not been disciplinary and the chair ruled as follows: Inasmuch as the disciplinary steps had not been taken in the case of M. B. Holloway, who was to be tried in order to location, the chair therefore rules that we have no case.

J. W. Flint, *Chairman.*
C. B. Whiteside, *Secretary.*

TEMPERANCE

We call attention to the advanced attitude of our Church toward temperance, as expressed in our new discipline, and we highly appreciate the remarkable work of the Temperance Society and urge coöperation in their splendid work.

We are grateful for the continuous increase of "dry" territory throughout the nation, and urge a concerted activity along all lines leading to the final goal of nation-wide prohibition.

We recommend the following committee be nominated to serve on the state board of the Anti-Saloon League: Ministers, F. O. Wilson; alternate, M. J. Mumford; laymen, Dr. U. G. Auer; alternate, W. O. Edwards.

J. H. Davis.
Van B. Sullins.

HOSPITALS

We are profoundly grateful to God that His church is coming to see the great spiritual service it can render through the relief of suffering. Our hospitals have in recent years rapidly multiplied in numbers, equipment, and efficiency. It is now recognized that our hospitals are a "social, scientific, and religious necessity."

We rejoice with the Woman's Home Missionary Society that they have secured for Holden Hospital a location which makes possible greatly increased efficiency and hereby pledge them our heartiest coöperation that its ministry be enlarged.

We are grateful to see the development of our Wesley Memorial Hospital in Chicago and appreciate its unsurpassed equipment for the treatment of the most difficult cases of all kinds. We heartily recommend it to the support and patronage of our people and especially we recommend its unsurpassed advantages for the training of nurses.

MANLY J. MUMFORD,
W. E. BENNETT.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

We recognize the value to the church of the great organization of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. We delight to see the splendid results being obtained through the efforts of our consecrated women, who make this society possible. We therefore urge our pastors to heartily coöperate in this work, thus bringing to the stranger coming to our shores the influences and protection of Christ's gospel.

W. I. TERHUNE, *Chairman.*
C. C. CULLISON, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF M. J. FOSTER, TREASURER CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' SOCIETY OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE

Mount Carmel, Ill., October 4, 1916.

Total Endowment as reported September 20, 1915		$ 6,158.92
Receipts for the past year:		
1915		
Nov. 1, Rev. F. M. VanTreese (For Fay Marriott)	$ 13.00	
Dec. 9, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	15.25	
1916		
Jan. 13, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	5.00	
Feb., From R. K. Stees Estate, Mount Carmel, Ill	20.14	
Mar. 27, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	59.75	
Apr. 3, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	124.80	
Apr. 14, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	200.00	
Apr. 17, Nellie Sutton, Mount Carmel, Ill	1.00	
Apr. 17, Lydia Miller, Mount Carmel, Ill	2.50	
Apr. 21, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	616.90	
May 6, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	600.00	
May 15, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	193.90	
May 15, Mrs. Ira Hutchinson, Mount Carmel, Ill	1.00	
June 5, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	784.45	
June 16, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	622.45	
July 5, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	379.10	
Apr. 24, Rev. F. M. VanTreese, five notes Anna R. Gooch	50.00	
Aug. 16, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	536.50	
Sept. 22, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	1,251.24	
Sept. 28, Rev. F. M. VanTreese, three notes Sallie Logan	150.00	
Oct. 3, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	695.70	
Oct. 6, Rev. F. M. VanTreese	1,772.35	8,095.03
Total Endowment October 4, 1916		$14,253.95

Assets

Municipal Bonds	$ 2,030.56
Drainage Bonds	700.00
Real Estate, Olney, Ill.	1,500.00
First Mortgages on Real Estate, not to exceed one-half value	6,450.00
Personal Notes	340.00
Cash on hand	3,233.39
	$14,253.95

Liabilities—Interest on Annuities

Five per cent per annum Interest on Susan E. Butler Bond of	$2,000.00
Seven per cent per annum Interest on Ruth Franklin Bond of	500.00
Seven per cent per annum Interest on Michael Book and Mrs. Elizabeth Book Bond of	300.00

Report of Interest Fund of the Conference Claimants' Society Endowment Fund of Southern Illinois Conference

Balance on hand September 22, 1915		$ 17.28
Total receipts during the year:		
1916		
Mar. 13, C. L. Trover	$120.00	
Mar. 21, Geo. W. Phillips	24.50	
May 18, Interest on Drainage Bonds	42.00	
Aug. 7, C. Smith	.15	
Aug. 9, Bertie Landes	30.00	
Aug. 29, R. Morris	9.00	
Sept. 25, Geo. W. Phillips	24.50	
Sept. 30, Interest on Certificate	12.35	262.50
		$279.78

Disbursements

1915		
Oct. 20, J. C. Kinison, expense	$ 2.50	
1916		
Feb. 3, Treasurer's Bond	10.00	
Feb. 26, Interest on Susan E. Butler, Annuity Bond	50.00	
Mar. 20, Interest on Ruth Franklin, Annuity Bond	17.50	
Feb. 26, Taxes on Olney property	17.88	
May 1, M. J. Foster, postage, etc	1.75	
July 11, Interest on Ruth Franklin, Annuity Bond	17.50	
July 13, Accrued interest paid on note bought (B. Landes).	20.00	
July 18, Insurance on Olney property	2.40	
Sept. 11, Interest on Susan Butler, Annuity Bond	50.00	189.53
Balance on hand October 4, 1916		$ 90.25

Respectfully submitted,

M. J. FOSTER, *Treasurer.*

EPWORTH LEAGUE

We express joy and satisfaction at the success of the League; and

WHEREAS, The Epworth League has proven its value to the church in the training of our young people; therefore be it

Resolved, That we instruct our pastors to put forth a special effort in organizing the classes for Bible study, missions, and personal evangelism, and encourage the Institute work; also recommend that more of the *Epworth Heralds* and *Illinois Epworthians* be taken.

We earnestly urge all our pastors to support and promote the Junior Epworth League work on their various charges.

C. H. HOFFMIRE,
B. H. BATSON.

REPORT OF THE INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN IN THE SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE FOR THE CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' PERMANENT ENDOWMENT DURING THE CONFERENCE YEAR 1916

Providing for the Expense of the Campaign

The Conference Board of Trustees was authorized to underwrite a note for $2,000 to provide for the expense of the campaign at once. The Conference voted that effective ministers should pay towards the expense of the campaign one and one-half per cent of their cash salary annually, so that all the money subscribed and collected should go directly into the treasury for the permanent fund.

The Plan of the Campaign

The executive committee of the commission met in East St. Louis soon after Conference and decided upon the following plan of campaign for the entire Conference. The corresponding secretary was requested to arrange for district conventions and subdistrict conventions in each district in the Conference as soon as practicable. These conventions were held as planned. A profitable and comprehensive program was presented in each district and all the subdistricts, in which the Conference Claimants' Endowment Movement had its rightful place. The District Superintendents and the pastors cooperated and made the conventions interesting and profitable to pastors and people. The corresponding secretary was authorized to prepare or have prepared and published suitable literature for the campaign. One hundred and five thousand leaflets were printed and sent to the preachers to be distributed during the month, of information and preparation for subscriptions.

Each district or subdistrict fixed the time and arranged the details of its campaign. It was planned to spend one month in distribution of literature, to preaching sermons, and making announcements. The next month was spent in the intensive campaign, the preachers helping each other. Several gifted and influential laymen assisted the pastors on subscription days. Where the recommendations of the commission were followed and the pastor put himself behind the movement, the results were gratifying as reports will show.

Literature for the Campaign

The corresponding secretary was fortunate in securing four of the best leaflets possible. Dr. D. B. Parkinson of Carbondale prepared for us a valuable leaflet, "The Minister as a Community Asset." Dr. C. C. Hall wrote for us a clear, strong, and timely leaflet; subject, "Will Your Son Be a Preacher?" The other leaflets were taken from the best of those prepared by the Board of Conference Claimants. All of these leaflets were prepared and adapted to our own Conference. These leaflets touch almost every phase of the pastor's work and his relation to his people.

One hundred thousand subscription cards were prepared for the intensive campaign and sent to each pastor for use on the day the subscription was taken. The preparation and printing of these supplies required much expense and some labor on the part of the secretary. We are persuaded that it was money well spent and the returns will be seen many days hence. Large posters showing the features of six of our honored retired preachers were printed and sent to every pastor in the Conference to be placed in every church and Sunday School room, giving the days of information and the days for subscription in the districts.

These six men have worn themselves out in the service of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the Southern Illinois Conference and they are worthy of a better support than we give them.

The Board of Conference Claimants

Through Dr. Hingeley the Board of Conference Claimants has been helpful to our campaign without any expense to our commission. Dr. E. C. Clemans, assistant corresponding secretary of the board, was sent to assist in organizing and planning our intensive campaign. He attended all the district conventions, delivering addresses and greatly aided us by his wise council, in preparing the way for our successful campaign. Dr. Hingeley has kept in touch with our movement and sent us generous supplies of literature when requested without cost.

Gifted laymen have rendered valuable service. Prominent laymen have responded to our appeals, not alone with generous gifts, but have made forcible and touching appeals for the retired ministers at our conventions. Some of these have assisted the pastors on the day when subscriptions were taken, by making the appeal to the people and asking the congregation for contributions. Among these I desire to name J. B. Stout, Lawrenceville; Dr. H. W. Hurt, Lebanon; President McKendree College; H. H. Bailey, Altamont; and Hon. G. P. Denton, Effingham; and many others rendered the pastors valuable services.

Basis of Our Appeal

The justice of the claim of the retired minister. He gave himself wholly to the work of the ministry. It was a complete consecration to a lifework His pay for service is as just a claim in his retirement as in the days of his efficiency. His claim is as just as that of the Bishop, the District Superintendent, or the pastor. The law of the church demands that where there is a deficiency in one salary, the other salaries shall be prorated. Where this is not done the retired minister is the one that suffers most. Hundreds of dollars are lost every year to the Conference Claimant fund by this unjust treatment of the retired minister. He of all the ministers is least able to bear this loss.

The average cash salaries of the effective ministers in the Southern Illinois Conference is $900. This does not count the salaries of probationers nor supplies, only effective men. The law says where a minister serves thirty-five years and retires he is entitled to one half of the average cash salary paid by his Conference. This would be in our Conference $450—or for more or less number of years $13 per year annuity.

The Southern Illinois Conference paid its retired men last year $6.00 annuity, or forty-seven per cent of their just claim. Hence, the necessity of this campaign to raise a permanent fund of $100,000, the interest of which shall be added to that already raised by Conference apportionment that the retired men of the Conference shall be paid their just claim in full.

Some Painful Facts from the Conference Minutes

The deficiencies in the salaries of our preachers in the last nineteen years is $100,887 and in twenty-five years $137,350. In this campaign we are only asking that the Southern Illinois Conference raise in the next five years $100,000, which is less than the sum estimated for the comfortable support of the pastors, but was withheld and unpaid in the last nineteen years. They needed their full claim in the days of their efficiency and now in retirement they need it more. Will the church now pay its just obligation and meet the claim?

The Minister Cannot Save

The Methodist Episcopal Church requires more of her preachers than any other Protestant Church. They promise to devote themselves wholly to the work of the ministry. They cannot step aside into the secular pursuits of life to make money. They go where they are sent. They cannot determine the amount of salary they shall be paid. They cannot collect deficiency in salary by law. They have expenses and demands upon them that other

families do not have. Impossible for them to save. The minutes of 1916 shows that:

14 preachers in our Conference received $ 300 or less.
34 preachers in our Conference received $ 500 or less.
34 preachers in our Conference received $ 600 or less.
41 preachers in our Conference received $ 700 or less.
18 preachers in our Conference received $ 800 or less.
20 preachers in our Conference received $1,500 or over.

The question with some is not how to save money, but how can these men live and keep their families on so small a salary. They remain in the ministry because of their convictions and vows. Other men can turn aside and make money, but the preacher cannot.

Here are some of the results of our policy in the past. We omit names and only give cases by number:

1. The preacher served 12 years. The deficiency in salary, $2,045.
2. The preacher served 21 years. The deficiency in salary, $4,411.
3. The preacher served 39 years. The deficiency in salary, $5,121.
4. The preacher served 41 years. The deficiency in salary, $5,350.

These four men retired to an humble home and provided for themselves and those depending upon them the best they could. If they could have secured their back pay it would have been a great comfort to them and their families. Two of these men are still living. Cases like these, by going over past records, could be multiplied.

Methods Adopted by the Conference Claimants' Society in Handling This Permanent Fund

The money is loaned on real estate mortgage after an abstract has been furnished or invested in bonds after the courts have passed upon their legality. These funds are surrounded with all the safeguards approved by the most careful corporations.

This Campaign Paramount

Ours is a great church. We can do great things. To meet our responsibility to God and our obligations to the world we must do great things in the future for God and man. The intensive campaign for a permanent fund to provide for the retired minister and his family is one of the great things that challenges the attention of the church. Other things may be done, but this is one of the things that must be done now. Other things can wait; this cannot wait.

Results of the Campaign

FINANCIAL

Total subscribed to be paid in five years	$38,288.85
Total paid on subscriptions	$6,865.42
Received from wills	1,000.00
Interest-bearing notes	200.00
Received from sale of Annuity Bonds	300.00
Total receipts for the year	$8.365.42

Moral and Spiritual

It is difficult to estimate the value of this intensive campaign on the moral and spiritual interests of the church. We believe that there will be higher and better appreciation of the labors and sacrifices made by our effective preachers. The retired ministers will receive greater honor and love than has ever been before accorded them by the laity. The church will require a higher standard of intellectual preparation for the work of the ministry in

the future. The effective minister will be freed from anxiety and care of himself and his family, and can give the church a more efficient service. The minister must be effective or lose his standing. The superannuated man can retire and cease to be a burden on the church after he has lost his efficiency by age or infirmities. We believe there will be given by the Great Head of the church that does this righteous thing, His divine approval. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." If God does not bless a defaulting man, will he bless a defaulting church?

Some Recommendations

That the commission appointed at the last Conference be made permanent until the task is finished.

That vigorous plans be adopted by the commission in each district to bring every charge into the intensive campaign the coming year, and where the subscription was taken and was only partially successful, that an effort be made as soon as practicable.

That all probationers of the Conference be required to pay toward the expense of the campaign one and one-half per cent of their cash salary because they are benefited by the results of the campaign the same as full members of the Conference.

That the commission arrange to bring on the intensive campaign early in the Conference year so that it will be out of the way of other interests of the church. We would, therefore, recommend to the commission as a good time the last two weeks in November and the first two weeks in December.

We further recommend that a suitable memorial service be held in every Sunday School in the Conference the Sunday nearest Thanksgiving Day, and a cash subscription be taken and an effort be made to raise in each school as much as ten cents per member, the same to be applied on the apportionment of $2.00 per member from each charge.

That since the standard of $2.00 per member has been established in the intensive campaign during the last year, and we believe it is not too high and should not be less, we recommend that all gifts to the permanent fund by annuity and bequests be excluded from the standard adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. VanTreese, *Corresponding Secretary,*
Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission,
Southern Illinois Conference.

PETITION

To the Board of Control of the Epworth League:

Since the Epworth League Institute is to be reëstablished at Havana, we of the Epworth League Board of the Southern Illinois Conference feel that to attempt to maintain the Institute at Hillsboro-Litchfield Chautauqua would be an additional hardship because of its location so near to Havana and so far from the territory dependent for its support and we very much desire to have Lebanon selected as a location for an Institute, on the campus of McKendree College. St. Louis Leagues are to date favorable to this arrangement and the state cabinet members have expressed favor toward the matter.

We, the board of the Southern Illinois Conference, petition the General Board of Control, or whatever function of its organization has to do with this, to grant their permission to the location at Lebanon, and extend to them the coöperation and support they have formerly given the Institute at its present location. With such support we promise as a Conference to get back of the Institute and see it through to its best.

F. O. Wilson,
P. R. Glotfelty.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The debt on the Church at Salem is in such serious condition; and

WHEREAS, The trustees of this church have sold their parsonage with the intention of building a much smaller house, thus reducing their obligation by about $2,000, and thereby allowing them to give their entire attention to the debt on the church; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Southern Illinois Conference request the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension to cancel all interest prior to July, 1916, on condition that the said church will pay the interest when due from July, 1916.

S. A. D. ROGERS.

JOINT RESOLUTION

At a joint meeting of the board of trustees and managers of the Old People's Home and the managers of the Southern Illinois Conference Orphanage the following resolutions were recommended to the Annual Conference for its adoption:

Resolved First, That we reaffirm our loyalty to the cause of the Old People's Home; although the home has been destroyed by fire, temporarily rendering it difficult to take care of its inmates.

Resolved Second, That we authorize the employment of a field secretary to raise funds jointly for the Old People's Home and the Orphanage.

Resolved Third, That after all expense incurred in collecting the funds has been paid, the money remaining be divided between the Orphanage and the Old People's Home at the ratio of eighty per cent to the Orphanage and twenty per cent to the Old People's Home.

Resolved Fourth, That the board of managers of the Orphanage be empowered to employ such agent.

F. M. VANTREESE, *Chairman*.
J. M. ADAMS, *Secretary*.

ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Your visitor to the Illinois Woman's College at Jacksonville, Ill., reports that the college is in flourishing condition, having grown under the present administration from a plant valued at $75,000 to one valued at $675,000; from a girls' school to a woman's college. Having in the last seven years grown from a college with two seniors and ten freshmen to one with twenty-one seniors and eighty-five freshmen in the school of liberal arts alone, and with a faculty increased by more than as many again.

Having also a program for the next four years which includes the entire removal of the academy, and the increasing of the properties to $1,000,000.

By reason of its splendid equipment, superb faculty, deep religious life, and nominal expense the college commends itself as a place for the training of our young women for their life's work.

Respectfully submitted,

P. R. GLOTFELTY.

PERIODICALS, PUBLICATIONS, AND COLLECTIONS

Believing that we recognize a certain lack of the knowledge of the principles of Methodism, both in doctrine and discipline, and that this lack of knowledge is hindering the vital work of the church, and that the great educational force of the people of Methodism is the church press; therefore

We earnestly urge every pastor to press upon the minds of his people the reading of such books and papers from the Methodist press, as will develop a stronger Methodism in every way; and that, whereas, the price of paper has advanced until it became necessary to increase the subscription rates of many publications, and among which is our own *Advocate*; we earnestly urge a hearty and loyal support for the same, both by pastor and membership.

W. D. RICHARDSON,
H. B. SHOAFF.

CLASS MEETINGS

Recognizing the class meeting as a vital factor in strengthening of the Christian life, and recognizing it a service peculiar to Methodists and the large and important place accorded it, we hereby recommend and urge on all our members their hearty support for this important service.

G. A. Phelps,
D. O. McRoberts.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Recognizing the great work which this efficient branch of our church is doing, we heartily approve of their earnest efforts and methods, and urge our preachers to encourage and open the way for the officers of this society to organize an auxiliary in every church, whenever and wherever possible.

John H. Jones, *Chairman.*
W. R. Bradley, *Secretary.*

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday School is indeed the church studying and teaching the Bible, but in too many places, the church members, both official and nonofficial, take little or no interest in this great work which gives greater returns than any other activity in the church.

Since our Board of Sunday Schools has created an efficiency standard which would greatly aid every Sunday School, we suggest that as pastors we do our best to have our Sunday Schools measure up to this plan.

Since we have new legislation requiring each district superintendent to hold annually a Sunday School Institute for the training of Sunday School officers and teachers, we here call attention to this requirement and urge the pastors to give their earnest coöperation in carrying out the plan of our district superintendents in this Institute work.

F. O. Wilson,
E. T. Carroll.

THE CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATIONS

The Southern Illinois Annual Conference, with the approval of the district superintendents and the concurrence of the presiding Bishop, makes the following recommendations for appropriations by the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension for the calendar year 1917:

Home Missions	$3,000.00
Slavonic Mission, East St. Louis	1,100.00
Total for Foreign-speaking People	1,100.00
Total for Home Missions	4,100.00
Church Extension	1,000.00
Appropriation for Home Missions	$4,100.00
Authorization for Church Extension	1,000.00
Total Recommendations	$5,100.00

The Southern Illinois Annual Conference has, in accordance with the request of the board, established $600.00 as the limit of salary, beyond which no missionary appropriation within its bounds will be given.

William A. Quayle,
Presiding Bishop.

Zelah J. Farmer,
Secretary of Southern Illinois Annual Conference.

Date, October 7, 1916.

MONUMENT FUND

Balance on hand October 1, 1915		$383
Paid for monument of Rev. A. G. Proctor	$75	
Paid for monument of Rev. C. A. Beckett	75	
Paid for monument of Rev. Andrew Dewhirst	75	
Postage sending assessments	3	228
Balance on hand October 2, 1916		$155

J. C. KINISON, *Custodian.*

Plan of Conference Examinations

1. There shall be two examinations each year; one at the close of the Institute at Lebanon in June, which will cover the entire course of study for the year and the other, on Tuesday before Wednesday on which the Annual Conference meets.
2. If an applicant shall be absent at the time appointed for examination, it shall be optional with the examiner and the chairman whether he be given an examination that year.
3. There will be no giving or receiving information during the examination.
4. Sermons and essays shall be sent to the examiner by the first of August.
5. The following questions shall be appended to each list of questions: Have you received or given information during this examination?

The Board of Examiners and undergraduates will meet at 8:20 A. M., in the church where the Conference is to be held.

The Examiners have agreed that those who attend the entire session of the Institute at Lebanon shall be entitled to ten per cent on their grades.

J. G. HARMON, *Chairman*, Carterville, Ill.
J. D. SHADDRICK, *Registrar*, Centralia, Ill.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS

J. G. Harmon—Chairman of the Board.
J. D. Shaddrick—Registrar.
Examiner J. W. Cummins—Subjects—Doctrine and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 1916; Socialism and Modern Social Problems; Social Institutions and Ideals of the Bible.
O. F. Culver—Local Deacon's Orders.
W. T. Cline—A Short History of the Christian Church; System of Christian Doctrine.
P. R. Glotfelty—How to Study and Teaching How to Study; Paul and His Epistles.
Cameron Harmon—Biblical Essays; The Way to Win.
M. J. Mumford—Dictionary Bible; The Bible in the Making; How We Got Our Bible.
O. L. Markman—Life of John Wesley; Introduction to the Study of Comparative Theology.
R. M. Peters—The English Language (a) and (b) for Admission.
C. L. Peterson—Foundations of Christian Belief.
Ressho Robertson—Beacon Lights of History; The Making of the Sermon.
H. W. Smoot—Local Elders.
Ralph Wakefield—Plain Account of Christian Perfection; The New Home Missions; Social Aspects of Foreign Missions.
W. C. Walton—Human Behavior; Every-day Ethics.
F. O. Wilson—The Pupil and The Teacher; The Graded Sunday School in Principle and Practice.
W. H. Whitlock—American History; New Testament History.
J. G. Tucker—Written Sermons.

Notes

1. The new Course of Study in the Discipline of 1916 will be used.
2. The Chairman of the Board has assigned text for sermons below.
3. The Examiners for local orders will be called when needed to supply vacancies. If necessary for the Chairman to appoint a new man on the Board during the year he appoint such a person to place made vacant by such a change.

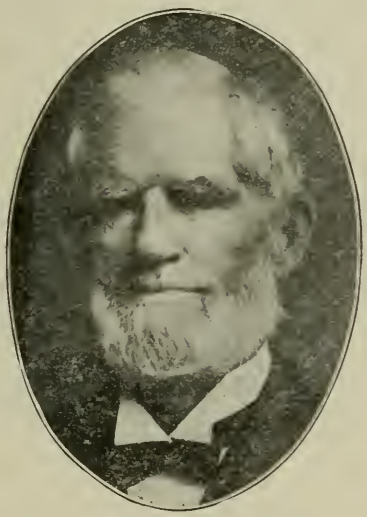
Text for Sermon

For Admission—John 15:14.

Memoirs

REV. JOTHAM ALL SCARRITT, D.D.

Jotham All Scarritt was born June 23, 1827, at what is now Godfrey, Ill., but then known as Scarritt's Prairie, so named for Nathan Scarritt, our subject's father, a most hardy pioneer and sturdy Christian, who came from New Hampshire and made the first settlement on that wild and lonely prairie. Nathan Scarritt was many years a great class leader, a most tender under-shepherd of the flock, and his home was the headquarters in all the region for the early Methodist circuit riders; and here the boy Jotham often



sat before the fireplace of a winter's night listening to high converse upon the great themes of the spirit world between his father and such great pioneer preachers as Peter Cartwright, W. D. R. Trotter, and Samuel Thompson, all of whom, with many others, preached in the schoolhouse his father had been the chief promoter in building.

In this blessed atmosphere, Jotham All Scarritt grew to a blessed manhood as was most natural he should.

At the age of twenty-two came two great events into his life—he was married and licensed to preach.

On October 4, 1849, he was united in marriage with Hannah Rebecca Meldrum. Three children were born to them, two of whom passed to the glory world in infancy. The third, Ada V., became the wife of the Hon. George Parsons of Cairo, Ill., where she passed within the veil a few years ago.

After doing considerable preaching for two years as a local preacher, he was received on trial in the Illinois Annual Conference at its session in 1851. The Southern Illinois Conference was organized the next year and his mem-

bership on trial fell automatically to this Conference. The following year, 1853, he was received into full membership. He was, therefore, sixty-two years a full member of the Southern Illinois Annual Conference. If we add the two years on trial, he was sixty-four years a traveling preacher. Again, if we add the two years he was a local preacher, he was a Methodist preacher sixty-six years. Thirty-eight years he was in the active (or effective) relation, two years a local preacher, sixteen years a supernumerary, and ten years retired. But it should not be forgotten that during the years he was supernumerary he preached and worked with an unflagging zeal, doing larger work than many in the effective relation, and in his retirement he could not stay retired. Very often he went hither and thither, preaching and delivering addresses in his great desire to help carry through some drive for the kingdom of God, when he must have known that the strenuous efforts could mean for him nothing short of a period of illness following.

He belonged peculiarly to the Southern Illinois Conference. His entire ministry was spent within its bounds. The space is all too short to do justice to such a career as his. He heralded the glad tidings in every sort of charge from the poorest circuit to the finest city churches in the Conference, retiring at the age of seventy-eight at the close of a most remarkable eight-year pastorate at Cairo, where he had been pastor twice before. His companion of fifty-six years was suddenly called to her eternal home while they were in process of moving from Cairo to Alton. Dr. Scarritt carried out so much of the plan of moving to Alton as possible and made his home there the rest of his days, always aglow with a deep and intense enthusiasm for the triumph of the Master's kingdom.

On November 10, 1909, in Alton, he married Miss Fanny Johnson, one of the most devoted Christian women within the bounds of the Conference. The harmony of their united life was singularly beautiful and their united zeal for the Kingdom in our Wesley Church, where they made their church home, in the Conference, in the wide field of all our land, and in the wider field of the whole world was such they never ceased to work and pray and sacrifice in a large way for Jesus and His blessed kingdom. And now that Dr. Scarritt has gone, it is a great joy to know that his companion in her loneliness is doing and will continue to the end of her days to do all in her power to carry on all the works he loved so well to promote with all his powers and means.

Dr. Scarritt's last illness was not prolonged. It was just the general breakdown of a tired body, and after a few weeks he came to realize that the end of his journey was at hand. And when he knew this he faced the future, not so much with resignation as with joyous anticipation. Much of the time of his last days was spent in the other world rather than this, calling familiar names of bygone days and blessing and praising God.

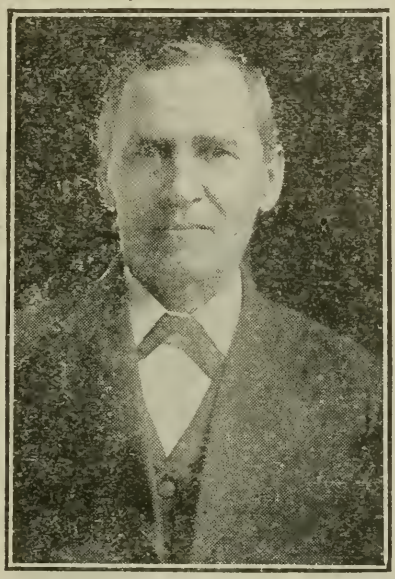
On the last Sunday evening he said, "I am going home in the morning." On Monday morning it became evident that the end was, indeed, near. A little after eleven o'clock, while his devoted wife held his hand and talked to him of heaven, ministering to his every want to the very last moments, several of us stood about his bed and watched the glorious sunset of a long day of life whose sun had lighted souls by thousands here to find the path that leads within the gates of fair, sweet Paradise, where some have met him now, and others will come on until we all are there; and then the long, long reaches of eternal years of glory—and of God.

Thus closed the long career on earth of Jotham All Scarritt, D.D., February 28, 1916, in his home in Alton, Ill., at the age of eighty-eight years eight months and five days.

EDMUND BARNES

Edmund Barnes was born at Union Star, Breckenridge County, Ky., April 15, 1848, and departed this life at Chautauqua, Ill., October 3, 1916, aged sixty-eight years five months and eighteen days. He united with the Methodist Episcopal Church August 15, 1870. He was licensed to preach in the

fall of 1870 and joined the Kentucky Conference in the spring of 1871. He transferred from the Kentucky Conference to the Southern Illinois Conference in 1884. He remained in the effective relation until 1912, when he received the relation of a retired minister, in which relation he was very happy. His death was quite sudden. He had been supplying the Ramsey charge since the regular pastor left for theological school. He had closed up the year's work and mailed his reports to Robinson, Ill., the seat of the Annual Conference. He and Mrs. Barnes then went to Chautauqua, Ill., and were preparing to move to Medora, Ill., where they had purchased a home. He died of neuralgia of the heart. His remains were taken to Medora, Ill., for interment. By the appointment of the Conference the



funeral was conducted by Rev. M. H. Ewers and Rev. L. Cramp, the other neighboring pastors being away at the seat of Conference. The Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the Baptist Church, and a friend of the family also took part in the services.

Rev. E. Barnes was married to Miss Catherine S. Hall December 11, 1871. Two sons and three daughters were born to them; namely, J. E. Barnes of Bremerton, Wash.; R. W. Barnes of Elsah, Ill.; Mrs. F. S. Miller of St. Elmo, Ill.; Mrs. Charles McCrellis of Medora, Ill.; and Mrs. J. A. Rodgers of Ramsey, Ill. The widow will reside in Medora, Ill.

Brother Barnes was a good man and a good preacher. He served in many of the difficult fields of the two conferences and was always successful in that many persons were converted under his preaching. He always emphasized the evangelistic work and as a result many to-day "rise up and call him blessed." A brother beloved has gone from our midst and we will greatly miss him.

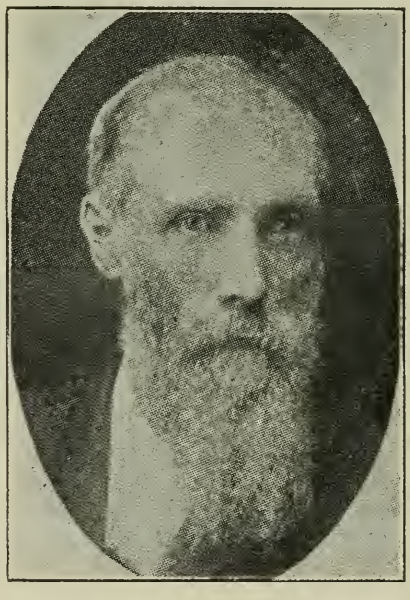
Brother Barnes served the following charges, beginning his ministry in Kentucky in 1871: Little Barrons, two years; Caneyville, one year; Warren, two years; Scottsville, one year; Tompkinsville, two and one-half years; Prestonburg, one year; Onton, two years; Hartford, two years. He then entered the Southern Illinois Conference in 1884 and was appointed to Harrisburg, where he served one year; Hawthorn, three years; Vienna, one

year; Moccasin, two years; Avena, two years; Xenia, two years; Potoka, two years; Bunker Hill, two years; Elsah, two years; Medora, one year; Gillespie, four years; Ramsey, two years; Coffeen, two years; Belleville (Epworth), one year; Grafton, two years; Oden, one year. He took the retired relation in 1912, having served continuously for forty-one and one-half years. During the last year of his life he served the Ramsey Church for several months most acceptably.

During this long term of service Brother Barnes reported over thirty-two hundred conversions. He preached over thirteen thousand sermons, and at one time preached two sermons a day for 105 consecutive days. He made over twelve thousand pastoral calls, built seventeen new churches, and influenced about twenty young men to give themselves to the preaching of the Word either as exhorters or minister.

THOMAS H. HERDMAN, D.D.

Thomas H. Herdman, son of Robt. and Jane Herdman, was born July 8, 1829, at Noblestown, Pa. His parents were strict Presbyterians and maintained a family altar. The children were taught the principles of religion. Under the direction of his mother he had completed the reading of the Bible before he was ten years old.



In 1839 the family moved to Beverly, O., where the father soon died. Thus at an early age our brother was left to the care of his mother. Life's conditions changed and he spent four years at farm labor under the direction of an uncle. During these years a short term of school each winter afforded opportunity to study the common branches, including first lessons in English grammar.

In 1844 he was placed under the care of another uncle, Rev. Samuel Findlay, to be prepared for the ministry. Here he began to study algebra, philosophy, Latin, and Hebrew. These privileges continued for two and one-half years.

In 1846 he united with the Presbyterian Church at Troy, O., of which church his uncle was the pastor. Shortly after this while he was teaching

school near Mansfield, O., certain Methodist preachers held services in his schoolhouse, thus acquaintance was formed with the Methodist Episcopal Church, where he afterward found field for the main activities of his life.

In 1848 he enrolled as a student in Muskingum College at New Concord, O. Here he spent three years in attending college and teaching school alternately. In 1852 he organized a high school at Chandlersville, O., where he taught for one and one-half years. He matriculated as student in Madison College at Antrim, O., in 1854 and graduated July 1, 1856. This was followed by eight more years' teaching, when yielding to a strong conviction of a call to the ministry he accepted license as a local preacher from the quarterly conference at Greenfield, O. Having served the church in this relation for five years, he was received on trial in the Cincinnati Conference in September, 1864, and appointed junior preacher on the Highland Circuit. Just at this juncture in life he was invited to take charge of a Methodist seminary at Mount Vernon, Ill. As this seemed to promise a solution of certain health problems with his young wife the invitation was accepted and he was transferred as a probationer to the Southern Illinois Conference at its session in Olney, September, 1865. While teaching in Mount Vernon he supplied the pulpit for seven months, during which time the church was blessed with a gracious revival, increasing the membership from eighty-three to 161.

September 29, 1852, he was married to Miss Celia C. Joseph at Zanesville, O. January 5, 1869, at Mount Vernon, Ill., he was bereaved in the death of his young wife, after which he completed his engagement with the seminary and gave himself exclusively to the work of the ministry.

December 20, 1870, he was married to Miss Eliza H. Peck at Du Quoin, Ill. This happy union continued till February 4, 1915, when the devoted wife, having made herself a part of all best things in the lifework of her husband, went to her coronation. Returning to the pastorate in 1869 he served at Du Quoin, Litchfield, Lebanon (twice), Vandalia, Mount Carmel, Brighton, Collinsville, and Effingham. Also for nearly four years as presiding elder of Lebanon District.

In 1890 he was elected president of McKendree College and served three years, when he accepted the financial agency of the college. In 1894 he was made dean of the theological department and in 1895 took charge of the postgraduate department. For a long term he was a member of the board of trustees and for six years was president of the board. His work and sacrifices form no inconsiderable part of the history of the college. In recognition of his scholarship and other eminent qualifications, McKendree College conferred on him the degree of master of arts in 1876 and doctor of divinity in 1889.

In 1896 he again took up pastoral work and served at Okawville, Summerfield, and Denverside Mission, now Century Church, East St. Louis, which last charge he organized. At the Conference session in 1902 Bishop Vincent appointed him Conference historian. While filling this position he copied with his own hand the entire record of the Illinois Conference from its beginning in 1824 till the organization of the Southern Illinois Conference in 1852. He also wrote a history of Illinois Methodism during the time prior to the formation of the Illinois Conference. These writings with much other valuable historical data which he had collected are now in possession of the Conference Historical Society.

For seven years Dr. Herdman served as Conference secretary and was sent as a delegate to the General Conference at Cincinnati, O., in 1880. He was found faithful and efficient under every responsibility placed in his hands. In 1911, full of years and honors, crowned with the love of the entire Conference, he was at his own request granted the retired relation. As pastor, presiding elder, and college president he was tender, thoughtful, and safe.

On the morning of April 8, 1916, in his own home at Lebanon, Ill., this warrior tried and true laid his armor by and answering God's call entered

into rest. The funeral services at Lebanon, Ill., were conducted by Dr. C. C. Hall, superintendent of East St. Louis District, assisted by members of the Conference.

"The memory of the just is blessed."

J. W. Flint.

JAMES M. MULVANEY

James M. Mulvaney was born in Harrison County, Indiana, August 13, 1861, and died at Anna, Ill., October 15, 1915.

He was the son of Henry and Catherine Mulvaney.

From his infancy he was surrounded by religious influences, trained and schooled in the practice and theology of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

He began his public life as a teacher in the public schools of Illinois. After a few years of faithful work in this calling, he found that this would never satisfy his conscience for the Spirit of the Lord said, "Go work in my vineyard."

After a brief period of partial resistance to this urgent call, he yielded to the divine influence. He entered the ministry and joined the Southern

Illinois Conference in the year 1886 and acceptably served several charges, giving evidence of great natural ability, apparently destined to fill places of great importance.

But when serving the Odin charge he was stricken with typhoid fever, from which he never fully recovered, lapsing into a deterioration of the mind which finally brought on permanent mental derangement, from which he was at last released by death.

Before entering the ministry he was married to Miss Emily Murphy, who proved to be a capable and able helper to him in his labors. To them were given seven children, all of whom are living—one in Illinois, two in Utah, three in Nebraska, and one in California. Mrs. Mulvaney preceded her husband to the glory world by several years.

His father was a local preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church all the latter part of his life, and his older brother, W. H. Mulvaney, is a member of the Kansas Conference, now serving Cherryvale charge.

The funeral services were conducted in Fairfield, Ill., by Rev. J. W. Flint, assisted by Rev. O. O. Maxfield. The remains were interred in Maple Hill cemetery, Fairfield, Ill.

MATILDA A. SNELL

Matilda A. Dees was born near Staunton, Ill., January 4, 1829, and grew to womanhood on her father's farm at that place. She was the daughter of Levi and Marjorie Dees, well-known citizens of Macoupin County.

March 1, 1849, she was married to Asa Snell, who, although not a minister at the time, yet had felt God's call to that work, and planned to devote his life to the same, all of which was talked over and definitely understood between them before their marriage, so that she knew that she was to be a Methodist minister's wife, and share in his joys and responsibilities.

After their marriage they resided on a farm near Staunton for more than four years, when she accompanied her husband as he took up his life's work in the ministry, and for thirty-nine years was a real helpmeet for him.

Theirs was certainly a marriage made in heaven and approved of God, and during fifty years of happy wedlock he blessed them and made them a blessing.

Nine children came to bless their home, three of whom—Collins, Lucy, and George—went to heaven in infancy, and one, Jesse, followed them at the age of thirty. The five living are: Mrs. Martha Fahnestock, Wanda, Ill.; Mrs. Nancy Farmer, Buckley, Wash.; Mrs. Eady Philbrook, Avena, Ill.; and Mrs. Mary Glass and Miss Addie Snell of Edwardsville, Ill.

Sister Snell was converted at the age of sixteen at home, alone with God, united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, and for seventy-one years was a faithful, consistent, and useful member. She let her light shine so steadily that no one could visit her and get away without a reception and message from her that would convince him that there was a mother in Israel who had been with Jesus and learned of him.

She loved ministers, all God-called ministers, and daily held them up in her prayers to a throne of grace.

She had been in fairly good health up to three years ago, when in April, 1913, she suffered a stroke of paralysis, since which time she had been an invalid. She suffered a second stroke in September of the same year. On the fourth of January, 1916, at four o'clock in the morning of her eighty-seventh birthday anniversary, her entire right side became paralyzed. Medical skill and loving hands ministered to her tenderly and did all that could be done to prolong earthly stay, until at five o'clock on the morning of January 24, when, with her loved ones gathered about her bedside singing "In the sweet by and by," and other favorite songs, and repeating God's Word and the Lord's Prayer, Grandma Snell slipped out of the earthly house, and went to live with God in the heavenly mansion, transferring her membership from the church militant in Edwardsville to the church triumphant in the city which hath foundations whose builder and maker is God.

She is survived by five children, thirteen grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, two brothers, and one sister. In her going Edwardsville loses one of its oldest and most respected citizens, the church a faithful member, and the family a devoted mother.

The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Robert Morris, assisted by the following brethren: Dr. C. C. Hall, Dr. F. M. Van Treese, Rev. O. B. Kinsey, Rev. J. W. Smith, Rev. David S. Wahl, and Rev. Wm. F. Sipfle of the German Methodist Church, after which the body was fittingly laid to rest by the side of her husband in Woodlawn cemetery, Edwardsville.

ANGELINE HARPER

Angeline Harper (nee Hayes) was born in Kentucky, July 24, 1835. She departed this life in Fairfield, Ill., December 14, 1915, at the age of eighty years four months and twenty days.

She was married to the Rev. L. A. Harper on September 18, 1868, at Murphysboro, Ill. To them were born two children, one of whom died in infancy. The other one, Mrs. Ella Jessup of Fairfield, Ill., survives. There

are seven living grandchildren. Mrs. Harper entered into and shared with her husband, the toils and responsibilities, the sorrows and the joys of a pastor's life, serving on the following charges: Walnut Hill, Litchfield, Mount Vernon, Spring Garden, Greencastle, New Douglas, Johnsonville, Avena, Mason, Irvington, Benton, Jeffersonville, Clay City, and Mount Erie. Rev. Mr. Harper retired from the active ministry in 1890 and the family resided in Mount Erie, Ill. In 1902 Brother Harper went to his heavenly home. Mrs. Harper continued to live in Mount Erie, and was active in all the work of the church and of the uplifting plans of the city. She was a regular attendant at the preaching services, the Sunday School, Epworth League, and Ladies' Aid Society.

Her last illness was of a month's duration, but it was spent in the home of her daughter in Fairfield, Ill., where she had every care and help that loving hands and hearts could give. From this home she went to her heavenly home to be with the loved ones gone before.

The funeral services were conducted at Mount Erie, Ill., by the Rev. J. W. Flint, D.D., pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Fairfield, and the interment was in the Mount Erie cemetery. Peace to the memory of "A mother in Israel."

MRS. CANNA BRUMBAUGH CATES

Of those borne home this year on the Father's love none will be more missed by the Conference and by the bereaved one whose constant companion she was than will Mrs. Canna Brumbaugh Cates. She was the daughter of Dr. A. M. and Sarah F. Brumbaugh of Dalgren, Ill., where she grew to womanhood.

October 1, 1882, she was united in marriage to Theodore Cates. Their union was blessed by four children—Elmer Theodore died at the age of five. Those surviving are Bessie Maude, wife of Rev. H. C. Brown of Byron, Ill.; Rev. Andrew M. Cates of Fair Oaks, Cal.; and Miss Jennie Ophelia, at home with her father.

She was converted at the age of eleven and united with the Methodist Church, remaining in its fellowship to the end. She loved her church and when the call came to her husband to enter its ministry, she joined heart and hand with him in pressing forward the kingdom of God. She specialized on work with the children and in a marvelous way succeeded in shaping their lives for Christ and the church. The writer married one of her girls of an early pastorate, who loved her next to her mother and still prays to be able to become as good a woman as Mrs. Cates. She entered heartily, however, into the work of all the departments of the church and was never happier than when busy in the service.

She had as high ideals for the parsonage home. Hers was always neat and clean and ready with a welcome for the members and friends of the church. She made every effort to mold the principles of Christianity into the lives of her children at any sacrifice, often saying, "My life is a life of sacrifice."

Her health began failing about a year and a half before she was taken. She was again and again brought to death's door but struggled and prayed to remain with the loved ones and her beloved church work. But at last she said, "I can now suffer the will of God to be done." On Sunday, March 19, all the children were at home for the last time. She had them assemble at her bedside and with them partook of the Holy Communion administered by the district superintendent, Dr. C. C. Hall, who was often a welcomed visitor in their home. At its close she said, "I will partake of it no more until I partake of it anew in my Father's kingdom." After weary months of suffering, borne always with great patience, her spirit took its flight to be with the Lord on Monday morning, March 20.

Services were held both at Collinsville and Dalgren. Twenty-eight ministers, many ministers' wives, and immense audiences of people by their presence attested the high esteem in which she was held. Truly Sister Cates was "a woman beloved by her friends."

MRS. CANNA BRUMBAUGH CATES

MRS. ADAM YINGST

Mina Forquer was born near Belleville, Ill., January 3, 1857. She was married July 4, 1875, to John Bartelmy. Mr. Bartelmy departed this life in February, 1901. On June 26, 1901, the subject of this sketch was united in wedlock with the Rev. Adam Yingst, a member of the Southern Illinois Conference, and for fifteen years she shared the toils and hardships as well as the joys and triumphs of the Methodist itinerant's life. At the time of her death they were serving their second year on the Beaucoup charge. Sister Yingst endured severe bodily suffering for thirteen months, after which she was called from the little parsonage in Beaucoup to the mansion in Heaven. She went to the heavenly home June 19, 1916. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at Carlyle, Ill. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. J. E. Shafer, assisted by the Rev. S. H. Hoar and the Rev. S. S. Smith.

A good woman has gone to her reward. She was a devout Christian and bore her bodily affliction with great patience. To know her was to love her.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

The Southern Illinois Conference adopted a resolution providing for the publication of a memorial list to be a part of its records, the names of those who by legacies, memorials, and gifts of $1,000 or more who have manifested their love and high esteem for the beneficiaries we serve. The Conference is entering upon a campaign to raise a Permanent Fund of $200,000, the interest of which is to provide a more adequate support for the retired preachers, their widows, and dependent children of the Southern Illinois Conference.

Those interested in any way in this great movement should write F. M. VanTreese, corresponding secretary Endowment Commission Southern Illinois Conference, 629 Veronica Avenue, East St. Louis, Ill.

Benefactors' Memorial

In recognition of the benefits accruing from Gifts and Devises made in behalf of its Beneficiaries, the Retired Ministers, Widows and Orphans, The Conference Claimants' Endowment Commission of the Southern Illinois Conference publishes the names of those making Memorial Gifts.

In grateful memory of her now sainted
Father and Mother,
IRUS ALBRO
and
MRS. THANKFUL H. ALBRO
their daughter,
MRS. SUSAN E. BUTLER,
Brighton, Illinois,
gives
Two Thousand Dollars.

ELISHA BRUBAKER,
Robinson, Illinois,
gives as a
Memorial to his beloved wife,
HANNAH BRUBAKER,
One Thousand Dollars,

Members of Conference Deceased

NAME	NATIVITY		Entered Traveling Con.		DECEASED	
	Where	When	Conference	When	Where	When
Haley, James W.	Kentucky	....	Illinois	....	Alton	1855
Allyn, Henry	Conn.	1813	S. Illinois	1851	Nashville	1855
Kendall, John D.	.....	1824	S. Illinois	1853	Fairview	1858
Massey, James M.	Tenn.	1809	Illinois	1831	Marion County	1858
Vest, James	Tenn.	1801	Illinois	1850	Mascoutah	1859
Maxey, William H.	Illinois	1823	S. Illinois	1836	Xenia	1859
Chandler, Thomas W.	.....	1799	Kentucky	1827	Alton	1861
Shepherd, John	Penn.	1789	Illinois	1836	Williamson County	1860
McCord, Charles A.	Kentucky	1813	S. Illinois	1853	Tamaroa	1861
Calnan, John	Ireland	1834	S. Illinois	1860	Alton	1861
Ayers, R. G.	Ohio	1837	S. Illinois	1858	Equality	1862
Walls, F. T.	.....	....	Illinois	1848	Ashley	1862
Shepherd, Moses	.....	....	Illinois	1851	Du Quoin	1862
Glaze, John	Ohio	1811	S. Illinois	1862	Albion	1863
Allyn, Norman	Conn.	1810	Illinois	1836	Bunker Hill	1864
Babbitt, Carlyle	Vermont	1808	Kentucky	1831	Olney	1864
Hall, Richard	N. Carolina	1818	Illinois	1839	Lawrenceville	1864
Huggins, W. C.	Ohio	1825	S. Illinois	1857	Equality	1865
Holt, John	.....	....	S. Illinois	1852	Hebron	1866
Cliffe, William	England	....	Illinois	1843	Olney	1866
Spencer, Travis O.	.....	....	S. Illinois	1859	Du Quoin	1866
Mitchell, William W.	Virginia	1816	Illinois	1854	Richview	1869
Thatcher, John	Conn.	1804	Missouri	1835	Mount Erie	1869
Hamilton, Presley I.	Illinois	1824	S. Illinois	1853	Litchfield	1869
Frazier, John	Ireland	1803	New York	1831	Lebanon	1871
Morrison, Jonas S.	.....	1831	S. Illinois	1859	Shipman	1871
Corrington, William H.	Kentucky	1826	S. Illinois	1863	Belleville	1872
Richardson, James I.	Tenn.	1808	Illinois	1827	Marion County	1872
Lambert, Cavey	England	1809	Illinois	1851	Grayville	1872
Clifford, Zelotis S.	New Ham.	1815	Indiana	1843	New Haven	1872
Copeland, James	Missouri	1836	S. Illinois	1867	Lebanon	1872
Walker, William S. C.	Tenn.	1830	S. Illinois	1865	McLeansboro	1873
Powell, Joseph H.	Georgia	1824	Alabama	1891	Clay City	1873
Taylor, William R.	Illinois	1836	S. Illinois	1860	Spring Garden	1873
Greenlaw, William M.	New York	1850	S. Illinois	....	Flora	1874
Armstrong, I. S.	Ohio	1824	S. Illinois	1869	Noble	1874
Risley, Ashel L.	Kentucky	1804	Indiana	1827	Lebanon	1874
Randal, Thomas	.....	....	Missouri	1824	Upper Alton	1874
Van Cleve, John	N. Jersey	1804	Illinois	1828	New York, N. Y.	1875
Hawley, Nelson	Ohio	1807	Illinois	1842	Middleton, O.	1875
Dickson, William C.	Kentucky	1838	S. Illinois	1867	Olney	1877
Jay, Charles S.	Penn.	1820	S. Illinois	1841	Steeleville	1878
Van Winkle, D. B.	Illinois	1832	S. Illinois	1860	Du Quoin	1878
Williamson, D.	Virginia	....	Indiana	1846	Watson	1878
Campbell, A.	Penn.	1811	S. Illinois	1853	Freeburg	1879
Deneen, W. L.	Penn.	....	Illinois	1828	Lebanon	1879
Walker, Simeon	Georgia	1802	Illinois	1830	Carbondale	1880
Harrington, S. J.	Penn.	1845	S. Illinois	1873	Elsah	1880
Robbins, G. W.	Georgia	1800	Kentucky	1821	Richview	1880
Corrington, J. B.	Kentucky	1801	Illinois	1840	St. Louis, Mo.	1880
Holliday, C. M.	Kentucky	1807	Kentucky	1825	O'Fallon	1881
Houts, C.	Kentucky	1812	Illinois	1838	Metropolis	1881
Johnson, James	Kentucky	1809	Illinois	1848	Patoka	1881
Lopas, T. C.	England	1808	Illinois	1839	Greenville	1881
Delicate, H.	England	1842	S. Illinois	1872	Wanda	1882
Whitaker, W. F.	Indiana	1842	S. Illinois	1870	Belleville	1882
Nesbit, A. B.	Indiana	1813	Indiana	1841	Olney	1883
Johnson, J. T.	Tenn.	1805	Illinois	1825	Mount Vernon	1884
Farmer, G. W.	N. Car.	1838	S. Illinois	1866	Anna	1884
Reynolds, J. B.	Illinois	1834	Illinois	1856	Salem	1885
Jones, O. V.	Kentucky	1824	S. Illinois	1866	Lebanon	1885
English, L. C.	N. Jersey	1818	Illinois	1851	Robinson	1886
Lathrop, Erastus	Vermont	1813	Indiana	1846	Moravia, Ia.	1886
Woodard, J. B.	N. Car.	1804	Illinois	1836	Mulberry Grove	1887
Gibson, Josiah	Virginia	1817	Pittsburg	1843	Creston, Ia.	1888
Hill, J. H.	Ohio	1816	Illinois	1847	Lebanon	1889
Caldwell, J. W.	Kentucky	1825	Illinois	1849	Kane	1890
Caughlin, David	Virginia	1824	Illinois	1871	O'Fallon	1890
Tolle, C. J. T.	Kentucky	1825	Illinois	1847	Patoka	1890
Lowe, J. W.	Kentucky	....	Illinois	1852	Preston, Kan.	1890
Downey, A. L.	Indiana	1810	Kentucky	1854	Marrow	1892
Gillham, John	Illinois	1816	Illinois	1834	Sacramento	1892

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Johnson, T. N.	Illinois	1837	S. Illinois	1857	Vergennes	1892
Brannum, W. T.	Illinois	1825	S. Illinois	1888	Kinmundy	1892
Casey, L.	Illinois	1832	S. Illinois	1856	Centralia	1893
Root, E.	Virginia	1817	S. Illinois	1878	Lebanon	1893
Allyn, Robert	Conn.	1838	N. England	1842	Carbondale	1894
Hawk, J. L.	Ohio	1820	Kentucky	1889	Jonesboro	1894
Earp, Joseph	England	1820	S. Illinois	1854	Lebanon	1894
Waggoner, E. E.	Illinois	1868	S. Illinois	1893	Staunton	1894
Randle, Richard	Georgia	1798	S. Illinois	1853	Christian County	1895
Miller, R. D.	Ohio	1822	S. Illinois	1894	Enfield	1895
Locke, J. W.	Kentucky	1817	Ohio	1845	Kansas City, Kan.	1895
Douthit, C. T.	Indiana	1847	S. Illinois	1893	Patoka	1896
Thompson, J. B.	Maryland	1842	S. Illinois	1875	Salem	1896
Blair, F. O.	Mass.	1822	S. Illinois	1866	Trinidad, Col.	1896
Crenshaw, J. D.	Kentucky	1846	Kentucky	1876	Makanda	1896
Field, J. W.	Illinois	1839	S. Illinois	1872	Indianapolis, Ind.	1897
Cullom, G. W.	Illinois	1816	S. Illinois	1855	Avena	1897
Walker, Samuel	Illinois	1823	S. Illinois	1859	Carlyle	1897
Snell, Asa	Illinois	1827	S. Illinois	1857	Edwardsville	1898
McIntosh, J. W.	Indiana	1841	S. Illinois	1886	Grayville	1898
Mapes, Charles	Ohio	1817	Indiana	1841	Henderson, Ky.	1898
Bliss, Alfred	Vermont	1811	S. Illinois	1854	Effingham	1899
Burkitt, William L.	Illinois	1841	S. Illinois	1888	Beecher City	1899
Van Cleve, William	N. Jersey	1834	S. Illinois	1864	Olney	1899
Keith, H. H.	Indiana	1826	Indiana	1855	Walshville	1900
Joy, Ephraim	Illinois	1819	Illinois	1844	Centralia	1900
Manifold, Henry	Penn.	1822	S. Illinois	1855	St. Louis, Mo.	1900
Robinson, J. A.	Illinois	1815	Illinois	1847	Centralia	1900
Bruner, William B.	Indiana	1826	N. W. Ind.	1852	Tamaroa	1901
Franklin, Joseph W.	Kentucky	1831	Kentucky	1869	Pinckneyville	1901
Gillham, John D.	Illinois	1835	S. Illinois	1856	Centralia	1901
Thrapp, James A.	Ohio	1822	S. Illinois	1856	Vandalia	1901
Waller, James L.	Vermont	1819	S. Illinois	1866	Centralia	1901
Wallis, William	Ireland	1836	S. Illinois	1865	St. Louis, Mo.	1901
Harper, L. A.	Illinois	1827	S. Illinois	1858	Mount Erie	1902
Ransom, A.	New York	1826	S. Illinois	1850	Newton	1902
House, M.	Illinois	1825	S. Illinois	1857	Greenville	1902
Green, Silas	Ohio	1827	Kansas	1860	Steeleville	1902
Hale, W. G.	Illinois	1858	S. Illinois	1883	New Burnside	1902
Horner, W. H.	Illinois	1863	St. Louis	1891	Coffeen	1902
Kepley, S. O.	Illinois	1872	S. Illinois	1899	Springer, N. M.	1903
Ravenscroft, W. E.	England	1824	Indiana	1857	Owensboro, Ky.	1903
Weeden, John	Illinois	1834	S. Illinois	1869	Bartley, Neb.	1904
Davis, W. F.	Kansas	1824	S. Illinois	1857	Bethany	1904
Pierce, B. R.	Kentucky	1828	S. Illinois	1855	Centralia	1905
Waggoner, G. W.	Tennessee	1820	S. Illinois	1852	Upper Alton	1905
Rutherford, J. P.	Illinois	1818	S. Illinois	1857	Hagerstown	1905
Reef, J. R.	Illinois	1838	S. Illinois	1867	Carbondale	1905
Littell, A. J.	Indiana	1849	S. Illinois	1889	Mound City	1906
Nall, J. W.	N. Carolina	1819	S. Illinois	1855	St. Elmo	1906
Morris, C. O.	Illinois	1869	S. Illinois	1899	Catlin	1906
Stauffer, N.	Illinois	1845	S. Illinois	1877	Ralston, Okla.	1906
Leeper, John	Ohio	1827	S. Illinois	1849	Nashville	1906
Wright, J. W.	Indiana	1848	S. Illinois	1872	St. Louis, Mo.	1906
King, M. L.	Kentucky	1820	Kentucky	1841	Albion	1906
Hampton, J. A.	Illinois	1835	S. Illinois	1847	Donnellson	1907
Scawthon, G. W.	England	1833	S. Illinois	1869	Kinmundy	1907
Eaton, Thomas A.	Kentucky	1825	S. Illinois	1852	Kansas City, Mo.	1907
Baker, Charles E.	Ohio	1836	S. Illinois	1892	Mulberry Grove	1908
McGriff, James H.	Penn.	1832	Holston	1869	Olney	1908
Bonner, Charles W.	Indiana	1838	S. Illinois	1867	Long Beach, Cal.	1908
Utley, B. F.	Illinois	1872	S. Illinois	1899	Mound City	1908
Grupe, F. W.	Illinois	1883	S. Illinois	1906	Marissa	1908
Jewell, S. K.	Illinois	1873	Michigan	1903	Mason	1910
Lingenfelter, C. D.	Kentucky	1824	S. Illinois	1854	Clay City	1910
Nash, Caloway	Tennessee	1840	S. Illinois	1867	Los Angeles, Cal.	1910
Lingenfelter, V. D.	Kentucky	1829	S. Illinois	1867	Gonzales, Tex.	1911
Van Houton, A. W.	Indiana	1838	S. Illinois	1884	Salem	1911
Oglesby, Daniel	Illinois	1825	S. Illinois	1856	Richview	1911
Sears, Hiram	Ohio	1825	S. Illinois	1853	Cleveland, O.	1911
Schaffer, George L.	Illinois	1852	S. Illinois	1889	Chester	1911
Bennett, J. H.	Tennessee	1844	S. Illinois	1884	Eldorado	1911

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Tilroe, William	Holland	1836	S. Illinois	1869	Robinson	1911
Thomson, F. L.	Tennessee	1841	S. Illinois	1868	Pinckneyville	1911
Margrave, W. D.	Illinois	1852	S. Illinois	1896	Herrin	1912
Crow, Nathaniel	Illinois	1852	S. Illinois	1881	Fairfield	1912
Steves, H. L.	Ohio	1858	N. Ohio	1887	Benton	1912
Tennyson, J. W.	Illinois	1860	S. Illinois	1892	Olney	1913
McMorrow, William	Virginia	1822	S. Illinois	1867	Mulberry Grove	1914
Cunningham, J. L.	Tennessee	1841	S. Illinois	1879	St. Louis, Mo.	1914
Proctor, A. G.	Illinois	1856	S. Illinois	1899	Chicago	1915
Beckett, C. A.	Indiana	1859	S. Illinois	1887	Chicago	1915
Dewhirst, A. J.	Illinois	1860	S. Illinois	1889	Selma, Cal.	1915
Mulvaney, James M.	Indiana	1861	S. Illinois	1888	Anna	1915
Scarritt, Jotham A.	Illinois	1827	S. Illinois	1853	Alton	1916
Herdman, Thomas H.	Penn.	1829	S. Illinois	1867	Lebanon	1916
Barnes, Edmund	Kentucky	1848	Kentucky	1873	Chautauqua	1916

Ministers' Widows

NAME	RESIDENCE	STATE
Mrs. C. E. Baker	Mulberry Grove	Illinois
Mrs. C. A. Beckett	Richmond	Indiana
Mrs. J. H. Bennett	Eldorado	Illinois
Mrs. C. W. Bonner	322 Fifth Ave., Long Beach	California
Mrs. W. T. Brannum	Box 32, Beaucoup	Illinois
Mrs. J. D. Crenshaw	207 N. Normal Ave., Carbondale	Illinois
Mrs. Nathaniel Crow	McLeansboro	Illinois
Mrs. Martha E. Cunningham	215 N. Junction St., Muskogee	Oklahoma
Mrs. C. T. Douthitt	4414 Evans Ave., St. Louis	Missouri
Mrs. A. J. Dewhirst	Olney	Illinois
Mrs. L. C. English	405 Pine St., Robinson	Illinois
Mrs. G. W. Farmer	411 Henrietta St., Pekin	Illinois
Mrs. J. W. Franklin	Pinckneyville	Illinois
Mrs. J. D. Gillham	341 W. 41st Place, Los Angeles	California
Mrs. Silas Green	Anna	Illinois
Mrs. F. W. Grupe	412 S. 18th St., Mount Vernon	Illinois
Mrs. H. H. Kieth	Walshville	Illinois
Mrs. J. W. Locke	Lebanon	Illinois
Mrs. W. D. Margrave	321 S. 19th St., Herrin	Illinois
Mrs. Lydia Miller	Lebanon	Illinois
Mrs. J. H. McGriff	Deming	New Mexico
Mrs. C. O. Morris	Georgetown	Illinois
Mrs. Daniel Oglesby	Richview	Illinois
Mrs. A. G. Proctor	Equality	Illinois
Mrs. A. Ransom	Newton	Illinois
Mrs. J. B. Reynolds	Mount Pleasant	Michigan
Mrs. J. R. Reef	Bone Gap	Illinois
Mrs. E. Root	Pinckneyville	Illinois
Mrs. J. P. Rutherford	312 S. 2nd St., Vandalia	Illinois
Mrs. J. A. Robinson	1121 16th Ave., Rock Island	Illinois
Mrs. C. L. Schaeffer	Chester	Illinois
Mrs. H. L. Steves	8 Norway St., Boston	Massachusetts
Mrs. J. W. Tennyson	526 W. Cherry St., Olney	Illinois
Mrs. J. B. Thompson	Lake Geneva	Wisconsin
Mrs. F. L. Thomson	912 W. Main St., Marion	Illinois
Mrs. Mary A. Tilroe	401 S. Franklin St., Robinson	Illinois
Mrs. C. J. T. Tolle	Altoona	Kansas
Mrs. B. F. Utley	Anna	Illinois
Mrs. William Van Cleve	Olney	Illinois
Mrs. E. E. Waggoner	6436 Drexel Ave., Chicago	Illinois
Mrs. Samuel Walker	Carlyle	Illinois
Mrs. J. W. Wright	2309 N. 12th, Terre Haute	Indiana
Mrs. J. A. Scarritt	Alton	Illinois
Mrs. Edmund Barnes	Medora	Illinois

Sessions of Conference

No. Session	DATE	PLACE	BISHOP	SECRETARY	STATISTICIAN
1	Oct. 17, 1852	Belleville	F. R. Ames	J. Leaton	
2	Oct. 26, 1853	Mount Carmel	L. Scott	J. Leaton	
3	Sept. 27, 1854	Mount Vernon	F. R. Ames	J. Leaton	
4	Sept. 26, 1855	Alton	E. S. Janes	J. Leaton	
5	Oct. 1, 1856	Salem	M. Simpson	J. Leaton	
6	Sept. 23, 1857	Lebanon	L. Scott	M. Shephard	
7	Oct. 6, 1858	Olney	T. A. Morris	M. Shephard	
8	Sept. 29, 1859	Richview	F. R. Ames	M. Shephard	J. Leeper
9	Oct. 17. 1860	Bunker Hill	M. Simpson	M. Shephard	J. Leeper
10	Oct. 3, 1861	Salem	E. S. Janes	J. Leeper	J. D. Gillham
11	Oct. 1. 1862	Alton	F. R. Ames	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Nall
12	Sept. 23, 1863	Mount Carmel	O. C. Baker	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Nall
13	Sept. 23, 1864	Belleville	E. S. Janes	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Nall
14	Sept. 27, 1865	Olney	L. Scott	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Nall
15	Sept. 19, 1866	Centralia	E. Thomson	R. Allyn	J. W. Lane
16	Sept. 25, 1867	Litchfield	F. R. Ames	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Lane
17	Sept. 10, 1868	Du Quoin	E. S. Janes	J. W. Caldwell	J. W. Lane
18	Sept. 15, 1869	Vandalia	E. Thomson	R. Allyn	J. W. Lane
19	Sept. 14, 1870	Lebanon	M. Simpson	R. Allyn	J. W. Lane
20	Sept. 27. 1871	Cairo	L. Scott	R. Allyn	J. W. Lane
21	Oct. 2, 1872	Mount Vernon	T. Bowman	R. Allyn	J. P. Dew
22	Oct. 1. 1873	Jerseyville	I. W. Wiley	R. Allyn	T. H. Herdman
23	Sept. 23, 1874	Mount Carmel	L. Scott	R. Allyn	J. Harris
24	Sept. 8, 1875	Centralia	R. S. Foster	T. H. Herdman	J. Harris
25	Sept. 13, 1876	Olney	M. Simpson	T. H. Herdman	J. Harris
26	Sept. 27, 1877	Mount Vernon	J. T. Peck	T. H. Herdman	W. Wallis
27	Sept. 25, 1878	Alton	S. M. Merrill	T. H. Herdman	W. Wallis
28	Sept. 10, 1879	Salem	E. G. Andrews	T. H. Herdman	W. Wallis
29	Sept. 1, 1880	Fairfield	C. D. Foss	T. H. Herdman	W. Wallis
30	Aug. 31, 1881	Greenville	J. F. Hurst	T. H. Herdman	E. A. Hoyt
31	Sept. 20, 1882	Mount Vernon	M. Simpson	F. M. Van Treese	E. A. Hoyt
32	Sept. 19, 1883	Belleville	T. Bowman	F. M. Van Treese	E. A. Hoyt
33	Sept. 24, 1884	Fairfield	R. S. Foster	F. M. Van Treese	E. A. Hoyt
34	Sept. 24, 1885	Edwardsville	W. X. Ninde	F. M. Van Treese	E. A. Hoyt
35	Sept. 23, 1886	Vandalia	J. M. Walden	O. H. Clark	E. A. Hoyt
36	Sept. 13, 1887	Olney	C. D. Foss	O. H. Clark	J. W. Van Cleve.
37	Sept. 26, 1888	East St. Louis	J. P. Newman	O. H. Clark	J. W. Van Cleve.
38	Oct. 9, 1889	Carbondale	S. M. Merrill	O. H. Clark	J. W. Van Cleve.
39	Oct. 1, 1890	Mount Carmel	T. Bowman	O. H. Clark	J. W. Van Cleve.
40	Sept. 23, 1891	Mount Vernon	H. W. Warren	O. H. Clark	J. W. Van Cleve.
41	Sept. 28, 1892	Belleville	R. S. Foster	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. G. Dee
42	Sept. 26, 1893	Flora	C. H. Fowler	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. G. Dee
43	Sept. 26, 1894	McLeansboro	W. F. Mallalieu.	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
44	Sept. 19, 1895	Metropolis	J. W. Joyce	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
45	Sept. 16, 1896	Jerseyville	J. N. Fitzgerald	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
46	Sept. 22, 1897	Mount Vernon	S. M. Merrill	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
47	Oct. 5, 1898	Du Quoin	D. A. Goodsell	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
48	Sept. 27, 1899	Mount Carmel	E. G. Andrews.	J. W. Van Cleve.	J. Y. Reid
49	Sept. 26, 1900	Edwardsville	W. X. Ninde	F. L. West	J. C. Kinison
50	Sept. 18, 1901	Alton	J. N. Fitzgerald.	C. D. Shumard	J. C. Kinison
51	Sept. 24, 1902	Fairfield	J. H. Vincent	C. D. Shumard	J. C. Kinison
52	Sept. 23, 1903	Mount Vernon	J. M. Walden	J. W. Cummins	J. C. Kinison
53	Sept. 28, 1904	Litchfield	C. C. McCabe	J. W. Cummins	J. C. Kinison
54	Sept. 27, 1905	East St. Louis	D. H. Moore	J. W. Cummins	J. C. Kinison
55	Sept. 19, 1906	Vandalia	D. A. Goodsell	J. C. Kinison	L. W. Porter
56	Sept. 18, 1907	Mount Carmel	Earl Cranston	J. C. Kinison	L. W. Porter
57	Sept. 16, 1908	McLeansboro	F. M. Bristol	J. C. Kinison	L. W. Porter
58	Sept. 22, 1909	Centralia	H. Spellmeyer	J. C. Kinison	L. W. Porter
59	Sept. 28, 1910	Olney	W. F. McDowell.	J. C. Kinison	G. R. Goodman
60	Sept. 20, 1911	East St. Louis	W. F. McDowell.	J. C. Kinison	G. R. Goodman
61	Sept. 25, 1912	Cairo	C. W. Smith	J. C. Kinison	G. R. Goodman
62	Sept. 24, 1913	Murphysboro	C. W. Smith	J. C. Kinison	A. R. Ransom
63	Sept. 23, 1914	Lawrenceville	W. P. Thirkield.	J. C. Kinison	A. R. Ransom
64	Sept. 22, 1915	Mount Vernon	W. P. Thirkield.	Z. J. Farmer	A. R. Ransom
65	Oct. 4, 1916	Robinson	Wm. A. Quayle.	Z. J. Farmer	A. R. Ransom

For the first seven years of the Conference, the Secretary or the assistant did the work of the Statistician.

Standing Rules of Conference

I. When any member of the Conference intends to object to the passage of the character of any member, he shall hand the name of such member to the President, who shall pass the name by and direct the case to be investigated.

II. When any one of our members is called from earth, it shall be the duty of the nearest pastor or District Superintendent of the district to notify all the preachers in the district of such death, and of the time set for the funeral services.

III. At each session of Conference a publisher shall be elected to publish the minutes of the next session, who shall be authorized to make arrangements and enter into a contract for the publication in advance of the session.

IV. The District Superintendent of the district, and the preacher in charge of the station where the Conference is to be held, together with the presidents of the several Conference societies, are instructed to arrange the program of religious exercises, and if practicable, secure their publication in the *Central Christian Advocate*.

V. The Board of Stewards shall consist of six members of the Conference, each of whom shall serve three years, two being elected at each session of the Conference. The Conference may, at its discretion, add two laymen, to be elected annually. The Board shall organize each year by electing a President, Secretary and Treasurer, whose names shall be published in the Conference minutes.

VI. When the names of candidates for admission, on trial or for orders, are called, they shall, if present, be called forward and introduced to the Conference.

VII. All candidates for recognition of orders shall, unless excused by vote of the Conference, be examined in the same manner as candidates for ordination, and the Committee on Conference Relation shall inquire into the character and fitness for the traveling connection of each candidate for admission on trial, for admission into full connection, or for readmission into the Conference, and all persons desiring a change of relation or any special appointment.

VIII. There shall be a meeting of the Statistical Secretaries with the Conference Treasurer at eight o'clock on Saturday morning, for the purpose of comparing the money reported in the statistical tables.

IX. When a member of the annual Conference or the wife of a member of the Conference dies, the Conference shall appropriate seventy-five dollars to provide a monument for him or her. The Conference to elect annually a custodian of Monument Fund, who shall apportion the amount necessary to this fund to the several charges on the basis of the amount paid by the charge for pastoral support the previous year. The pastor to report this under the head of other collection. The publisher of the minutes will reserve a column in the statistical tables for this report.

X. Each District Superintendent, at the close of the term, shall prepare a report of his district, not to exceed one thousand words, for publication in the minutes.

XI. The Stewards are authorized to take annually from the pro rata due the claimants from the Book Concern, a sum according to their discretion, not to exceed ten per cent of their indebtedness to the Book Concern, until it shall be paid in full.

XII. All reports of committees and resolutions shall be handed to the Secretary in duplicate.

XIII. No person shall have his orders recognized who comes from a church that requires a lower standard of literary qualification than the Methodist Episcopal Church, without passing an examination with us.

XIV. To admit on trial any candidate who is over thirty-five years of age, it shall require a two-thirds vote of all members present and voting, provided the two thirds equal a majority of all members of the Conference.

XV. It shall require two thirds of those present and voting to change or suspend any of these rules, except rule fourteen, which has its own provision.

XVI. All charges entertaining the Annual Conference shall provide lodging and breakfast only, leaving the attendants to provide for the mid-day and evening meals. Provided, this does not apply to superannuated members, their wives, the widows of decreased ministers, deaconesses and guests officially invited, who shall have full entertainment. The Committee on Entertainment shall see that sufficient and wholesome meals shall be provided at reasonable rates.

XVII. All members of the Conference under appointment as Conference Evangelists shall, on the call of their names for passage of character, report their work for the past year, stating number and place of revival meetings held, number professed conversions and accessions to membership of the church.

XVIII. All reports from the charges not received by Thursday evening of Conference week will not appear in the published minutes of the Conference.

XIX. On the first day of the Conference, at the hour following the Communion Service, a memorial shall be held for the ministers and the ministers' wives who have died during the year. The Bishop shall appoint someone to deliver the address, and also an alternate.

DISTRIBUTION OF MINUTES

Each pastor receiving $1,200 or above shall receive fifteen copies of the minutes and pay $2.50. Those receiving $900 and less than $1,200, shall receive thirteen copies of the minutes and pay $2. Those receiving $700 and less than $900 shall receive eleven copies of the minutes and pay $1.75. Those receiving $500 and less than $700 shall receive ten copies of the minutes and pay $1.50. Those receiving less than $500 shall receive eight copies and pay $1. The District Superintendents shall receive fifteen copies and pay $2.50 each.

MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS

Carbondale District—	
Reevesville, to be supplied	$ 50.00
Carbondale Circuit, to be supplied	150.00
Elco, to be supplied	50.00
New Burnsides, Thos. C. Stokes	50.00
Metropolis Circuit, Wm. C. Bruce	100.00
Crab Orchard, S. Sechrest	50.00
Centralia—	
Avena, C. E Bovard	50.00
Breese and Beckemeyer, T. E. Harper	50.00
Beecher City, C. J. Streubing	50.00
Hagerstown, Edwin Kitt	45.00
Huey, Samuel Anderson	45.00
Laclede, Adam Yingst	45.00
New Douglas, Charles Ramsden	100.00
Odin, M. C. McKown	100.00

East St. Louis—	
Batchtown, G. W. Dane	$100.00
Woodriver, to be supplied	100.00
Bond Avenue, G. W. Hanks	50.00
Century, J. A. Lee	50.00
Shiloh and Caseyville, to be supplied	50.00
Glen Carbon, to be supplied	50.00
Freeburg, H. W. Olinger	30.00
Signal Hill, R. A. Reeves	30.00
Venice, Eli Crouse	30.00
Mount Carmel—	
Bethel, W. E. Shafer	100.00
Broughton, Roy Jackson	50.00
Epworth, Mount Vernon, Charles Mundell	50.00
Dorrisville, to be supplied	150.00
Lone Oak, to be supplied	100.00
Olney—	
Chauncey, Fred Bedwell	50.00
Claremont, F. C. Fouts	25.00
Friendsville, Charles Harms	25.00
Golden Gate, C. E. Reed	25.00
Iuka, William Cisna	25.00
Jeffersonville, C. E. McDuffee	25.00
Sailor Springs, C. E. Curry	50.00
Sumner Circuit, L. E. Page	25.00
West Salem, E. E. Reisner	50.00
Wheeler, J. B. Prichard	25.00
Yale, C. Mallison	50.00
Centralia—	
Boulder and Centenary, J. W. Campbell	50.00
East St. Louis—	
Plainview, C. L. Stokes	50.00
Epworth, Belleville, F. D. Menze	50.00
Total recommended	$2,400.00

Approved by the Southern Illinois Annual Conference October 7, 1916.

W. T. Morris, *District Superintendent.*
S. A. D. Rogers, *District Superintendent.*
C. C. Hall, *District Superintendent.*
J. A. Taylor, *District Superintendent.*
W. H. Pool, *District Superintendent.*

PASTORAL ADDRESS

Nineteen hundred and sixteen years ago "unto us a child was born, unto us a son was given." He was to be christened "Wonderful, Counselor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace." His shoulders were to become government pillars.

In due time He stood forth to found a kingdom which was to be an everlasting kingdom, in the course of the history of which it should be said: "The kingdoms of this world are to become the kingdom of our Lord and His Christ." The strength of this kingdom was to be such as to defy the gates of Hell. The nature of its growth was to be such that its founder in a parable which He spake likened it to a grain of mustard seed.

Two thousand years of Christian history have passed and the gates of hell have not prevailed; the mustard seed has become a great tree; and the kingdoms of this world are becoming the kingdom of our Lord and His Christ.

In the days of His flesh competent critics declared that they found no fault in Jesus. And of His words it was said: "Never man spake like this man."

After twenty centuries of favorable and unfavorable criticism, surely,

"No mortal can with Him compare,
Among the sons of men;
Fairer is He than all the fair
That fill the heavenly train."

"Fear not, for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be unto all people, for unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour which is Christ the Lord." So spake the angel which announced His birth. And immediately there broke forth from the sky the chorus: "Glory to God in the highest, on earth peace, good will to men."

"That song is sung by rich and poor,
Where'er the Christ is known;
'Tis sung in words and sung in deeds,
Which bind all hearts in one.
Angels are still the choristers,
But we the shepherds are;
To bear the message which they bring,
To those both near and far."

Paul, the greatest of the apostles, and who had the best opportunity of testing the gospel by its fruit, declared of it: "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believes." And such is the testimony of every evangel who gives the gospel a fair chance.

In 1771 there came to America by appointment of John Wesley a man who was to become to American Methodism what Wesley himself had been to Methodism in England. He became our first regularly elected general superintendent, and has lately been styled "The prophet of the long road." He gathered about him a saddle-bag brigade, who seemed peculiarly fitted for the task of evangelizing the people of that day.

We are their sons in the gospel ministry. The road of the prophet has been greatly shortened, and the conditions and problems of our day are very unlike those of their day, calling for a different type of man to apply the remedy for sin, and different methods of application. But in men and methods our Church has been so adapted to the task that we are able to number our membership by millions.

Sixty-five years ago the Southern Illinois was carved out of the Illinois Conference. It was organized with 65 itinerant preachers and 14,948 members. To-day, by the grace of God, we number 272 itinerant preachers and more than 54,000 members, a gain of more than 400%. Every pulpit in our Conference has a preacher, and only 15 of these are supplies, while from the itinerant ranks we have 21 under special appointment. In the last two decades we have lost by transfer 168; by death 70; by withdrawal and location 17. Total loss 255. We have received by transfer only 90, making a net gain by admission on trial into our Conference of 185, or a net average annual gain of 9.

Methodism in the past has been especially noted for its evangelistic zeal and success. In imitation of its Saviour its mission has been to seek and to save that which was lost. As a result it has outstripped its sister denominations in numbers, has been a feeder for other churches and "by its (evangelistic) zeal hath provoked many." But Methodism has been also a militant church and has championed every reform. When the colonies were in the death struggle for liberty Methodism offered herself, and when the infant nation arose to its feet, among the first official declarations of loyalty was that of the Methodist Church.

When our nation was trying to abolish human slavery and turned to arms as a last resort, Mr. Lincoln declared that the Methodist Church sent more soldiers to the field, more nurses to the hospitals and more prayers to Heaven than any other Church.

The cry of unrest in the social world has come to our ears and in the General Conference of 1912 we recorded our convictions in words that were later adopted almost verbatim by the federated churches of America, composed of about thirty denominations.

The legalized liquor traffic has recognized in us one of its most dreaded foes. From this position we do not propose to retreat until this nation is without a saloon and our flag without its stain.

We recognize in the gospel the only remedy for sin. May we not invent anew but apply the true—

> "O, what amazing words of grace are in the gospel found,
> Suited to every sinner's case who knows the joyful sound."

The forces of evil are powerful and well organized, and he who fights against them must have on the whole armor of God. Satan is wise and has many devices. No dullard can successfully contend against him. He is busy seven days in the week and twenty-four hours in the day. No idler can hope to tend the flock of God and rescue the lost in his community.

Great is our heritage; heartening is our history; urgent is the call of God.

> "Be strong!
> Say not the days are evil, who's to blame?
> And fold the hands and acquiesce, O shame!
> Stand up, speak out, and bravely, in God's name."

Committee: C. B. Whiteside,
L. Smith,
S. S. Smith,
S. Albrecht,
M. H. Ewers.

Alphabetical Roll of the Southern Illinois Conference

NAME	P. O. Address	Admitted into full connection		Transferred to S. Ill. Conf.	Nativity	Relation
		Year	Conference			
Adams, J. M.	St. Elmo	1895	S. Illinois	....	Kentucky	Effective
Albrecht, Samuel	Fairfield	1892	Cent. Ill.	1899	Illinois	Effective
Anderson, Wm. G.	Shobonier	1916	S. Illinois	.....	.....	Effective
Atchison, Charles	Vergennes	1891	Kentucky	1895	Illinois	Effective
Baker, M. B.	Staunton	1890	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Effective
Baker, D. W.	Pocahontas	1893	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Barrett, E. W.	Hamburg	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Batson, B. H.	Galatia	1912	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bell, J. A.	Creal Springs	1909	U. B. Ch'ch	....	Illinois	Effective
Bell, V. W.	.....	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bennett, W. E.	Enfield	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Berst, S. D.	Johnston City	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Besse, C. B.	Orange, N. J.	1873	E. Maine	1890	Maine	Retired
Bovard, C. E.	Mason	1891	S. Illinois	....	Ohio	Effective
Boyer, J. J.	Xenia	1870	S. Illinois	....	Pa.	Retired
Brown, Ray M.	Mason	1905	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Brown, W. M.	Christopher	1910	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Brown, Oscar E.	Mill Shoals	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bradley, W. R.	Olive Branch	1884	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Britton, J. W.	Ashley	1883	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bruce, William C.	Metropolis	1915	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bumpus, M. S.	Mount Vernon	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Bunton, Arthur E.	Ullin	1916	S. Illinois	....	.....	Effective
Burke, J. E.	Mason	1891	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Retired
Buchanon, M. G.	.....	1910	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Brown, Frank C.	Irvington	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Calvert, Greenlee	Donnellson	1888	S. Illinois	....	New York	Effective
Campbell, C. W.	Reevesville	1886	Austin	1896	Illinois	Retired
Carson, William	Olney	1891	S. Illinois	....	Ireland	Supernum'y
Cates, Theodore	Collinsville	1895	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Carroll, E. T.	Brownstown	1905	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Effective
Clark, O. H.	East St. Louis	1861	S. Illinois	....	England	Retired
Cline, W. T.	Mount Vernon	1889	Nebraska	1909	Indiana	Effective
Clements, R. O.	Bethalto	1911	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Supernum'y
Coppage, Ralph T.	Patoka	1916	S. Illinois	....	.....	Effective
Cooksey, N. B.	Olney	1877	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Connett, O. E.	Ridgway	1910	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Connett, Ernest	Corinth	1915	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cross, W. A.	Collinsville	1874	Ch'ch South	1885	Illinois	Retired
Cramp, L.	Brighton	1881	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Crouse, Eli	Venice	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cummins, J. B.	McLeansboro	1893	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cummins, J. W.	Cairo	1895	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cummins, J. S.	Carbondale	1895	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cunningham, W. L.	Xenia	1898	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Cullison, C. C.	Clay City	1913	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Effective
Culver, O. F.	Carmi	1895	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Dane, G. W.	Batchtown	1916	S. Illinois	....	.....	Effective
Davis, J. H.	Granite City	1899	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Davidson, J. H.	Eddyville	1915	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Dee, J. G.	Lebanon	1881	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Dever, James S.	East St. Louis	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Dew, J. P.	Kansas City, Mo.	1859	S. Illinois	....	Virginia	Retired
Deweese, J. W.	.....	1894	Kentucky	1895	Kentucky	Retired
Dewhirst, Guy	St. Francisville	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Dunn, G. A.	Mounds	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Elston, V. W.	Okawville	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Edwards, W. W.	Springfield	1885	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Edwards, G. W.	.....	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Evers, W. C.	.....	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Ewers, M. H.	Ramsey	1880	Illinois	1902	Illinois	Effective
Farmer, Z. J.	Eldorado	1890	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Fahnestock, W. J.	Elsah	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Fidler, George	Trenton	1904	S. Illinois	....	Indiana	Effective
Finks, W. O.	Cobden	1910	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Flint, J. W.	Fairfield	1877	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Flick, I. G.	Dieterich	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Foltz, M. C.	Flora	1906	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective

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Ford, J. H.	Lewisburg, Ky.	1880	Kentucky	....	Kentucky	Retired
Fouts, J. C.	Claremont	1916	S. Illinois	....	.....	Effective
Fransee, W. F.	Lebanon	1911	S. Illinois	....	Bohemia	Effective
Gannaway, W. H.	Eureka Sp'gs, Ark.	1879	Illinois	1901	Illinois	Retired
Geyer, A. C.	Alton	....	.....	1916	.....	Effective
Glotfelty, P. R.	Salem	1903	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Goodman, G. R.	Palestine	1900	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Gould, V. N.	Jonesboro	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Groves, S. P.	Nashville	1862	S. Illinois	....	Ohio	Retired
Hall, C. C.	East St. Louis	1896	Kentucky	1899	Kentucky	Effective
Hall, J. S.	.....	1899	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Hall, G. H.	Crossville	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hall, C. W.	Carrier Mills	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Harmon, J. G.	Carterville	1888	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Harmon, Cameron	East St. Louis	1905	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hanks, G. W.	East St. Louis	1902	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Harms, W. C.	Elkville	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Harris, D. T.	Bunker Hill	1891	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Harris, Albert	Sparta	1887	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Haney, T. J.	Golconda	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Harper, Thomas E.	Beckemeyer	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hatten, Charles T.	Richview	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hearn, P. H.	Marissa	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hicks, Earl F.	East St. Louis	1914	F. M. Ch.	1915	Illinois	Effective
Hight, L. M.	Tamaroa	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hiser, H. O.	Nashville	1893	S. Illinois	....	Pa.	Retired
Hoar, B. A.	Kane	1885	S. Illinois	....	Ohio	Effective
Hoar, S. H.	Nashville	1907	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Hoffmire, C. H.	Brighton	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Holloway, M. B.	.....	1904	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Hoots, George	.....	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Hopkins, F. D.	Medora	1916	S. Illinois	....	.....	Effective
Hopper, W. J.	Browns	1891	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Huffman, J. T.	St. Louis, Mo.	1886	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Huntsberry, W.	.....	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Jackson, Marion	Grafton	1899	Arkansas	1904	Illinois	Effective
Jackson, J. W.	Worthington, Ind.	1884	Indiana	1895	Illinois	Retired
James, F. M.	Mount Olive	1902	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Johnson, J. B.	Mound City	1898	Indiana	1912	Illinois	Effective
Jones, J. H.	Belleville	1884	S. Illinois	....	England	Effective
Jones, W. L.	Randsburg, Cal.	1896	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Kemper, W. W.	Big Prairie	1906	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Kiesling, W.	Kuhlman, Fla.	1890	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
Kinison, J. C.	West Frankfort	1891	S. Illinois	....	Kansas	Effective
Kinison, J. W. A.	Evanston	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Kinsey, O. B.	Bone Gap	1912	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Lackey, S. C.	Bunker Hill	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Landis, J. A.	.....	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Lanter, N. S.	Noble	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Latham, F. M.	Galatia	1907	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Supernum'y
Latimer, C. B.	Sandoval	1913	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Laughlin, R. W.	Vienna	1857	S. Illinois	....	Kentucky	Retired
Lee, J. A.	East St. Louis	1914	S. Illinois	....	Tenn.	Effective
Leyerle, L. M.	Norris City	1910	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Litherland, H. A.	Albion	1912	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Livingstone, S. A.	Sorento	1915	S. Illinois	....	Ireland	Effective
Loar, M. H.	Robinson	1896	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Martin, T. A.	Shipman	1914	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Markman, O. L.	Lawrenceville	1900	Evg. Ass'n.	1904	Illinois	Effective
Magill, Laurence A.	Willow Hill	1915	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Matthews, S. A.	Tilden	1908	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Mauk, L. R.	.....	1900	Ch. South	1907	Illinois	Supernum'y
Maxfield, O. O.	Bible Grove	1911	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
Marriott, Fay	Flat Rock	1909	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
McCammon, G. E.	Champaign	1893	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
McCracken, J. E.	.....	1896	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Retired
McClain, T. B.	Pinkstaff	1915	S. Illinois	....	Illinois	Effective
McKown, L. S.	Benton	1904	Indiana	1905	Indiana	Effective
McKown, M. C.	Odin	1884	Indiana	1905	Indiana	Effective
McNeill, J. W.	Kinmundy	1878	Tenn.	1890	Tenn.	Effective
McKenzie, E. H.	Belmont	1882	W. Wis.	1911	Mass.	Effective

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McKnight, H. E.	Mount Vernon	1911	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
McPherson, W. H.		1911	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
McRoberts, D. O.	Steeleville	1912	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Menze, F. D.	Bellville	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Merrick, H. L.	Newton	1898	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired
Miller, J. L.	Sesser	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Mitchell, L. J.	Mount Vernon	1913	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Morris, W. T.	Carbondale	1883	S. Illinois		Tenn.	Effective
Morris, Robert	Edwardsville	1902	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Morgan, S. A.	Macedonia	1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Moorman, C. W.		1905	N. W. Kan.	1910	Kansas	Effective
Montgomery, E. E.	Equality	1912	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Mumford, M. J.	Alton	1897	N. W. Kan.	1911	Kansas	Effective
Murkin, J. T.	Mount Vernon	1889	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired
Mundell, C. S.	Mount Vernon	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Nave, J. W.	Wamac	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Nickerson, J. E.	Piasa	1887	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective
Orr, J. C.	Hickory, Ky.	1874	Kentucky	1886	Kentucky	Retired
Page, Loren E.	Sumner	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Peake, T. De Witt		1872	Ohio	1901	Ohio	Retired
Perrin, D. A.	Normal	1870	Kansas	1896	Canada	Retired
Peters, R. M.	Sumner	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Peterson, C. L.	Murphysboro	1904	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Phelps, G. A.	Waltonville	1908	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Phillips, C. R.	Oblong	1904	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Poole, W. H.	Olney	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Porter, L. W.	Bridgeport	1895	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Powis, William	Olney	1880	Kentucky	1886	England	Retired
Presley, J. N.	Wayne City	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Ramsden, Charles	Central City	1914	S. Illinois		England	Effective
Ransom, A. R.	Altamont	1909	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Ragsdale, T. R.	Carmi		Oklahoma	1912	Illinois	Supernum'y
Ravenscroft, J. B.	Albion	1869	S. Illinois		England	Retired
Reeves, R. A.	Signal Hill	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Reid, J. Y.	Carlyle	1887	S. Illinois		Kentucky	Effective
Renfro, J. L.	Evanston	1906	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Reisner, E. E.	West Salem	1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Rhein, W. L.	Oblong	1898	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Richardson, W. D.	Grayville	1909	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Robertson, Ressho	Olney	1894	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Rogers, S. A. D.	Centralia	1898	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Rogers, Bernard	Centralia	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Sabine, C. W.	Murphysboro	1868	S. Illinois		Ohio	Retired
Seed, G. A.	Olney	1878	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired
Shaddrick, J. D.	Centralia	1902	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Shafer, J. E.	Pinckneyville	1904	S. Illinois		Ohio	Effective
Sharp, W. A.	Maunie	1912	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Shoaff, H. B.	Calhoun	1911	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Shumard, C. D.	Vandalia	1890	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Sisney, C. E.	O'Fallon	1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Slaten, J. R.	Cypress	1913	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Smith, Laurence	Marion	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Smith, S. S.	Chester	1895	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Smith, J. W.	Troy	1903	Oklahoma	1904	Minnesota	Effective
Smith, Charles	Shiloh	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Smoot, H. W.	Newton	1905	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Sowers, T. B.	Gillespie	1910	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Spragg, C. H.	Greenville	1897	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Spurgeon, S. M.	Springfield	1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Stokes, T. C.	New Burnsides	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Streubing, Geo. C.	West Liberty	1910	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Sullins, V. B.	Metropolis	1907	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Sweeny, N. D.	Herrick	1895	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Tate, Orville W.	Coffeen	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Taylor, J. A.	Mount Vernon	1892	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Terhune, W. I.	Effingham	1905	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Thero, Samuel	Madison	1894	Iowa	1902	Iowa	Effective
Thrall, L. W.	Du Quoin	1874	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Tritt, C. S.	Vienna	1900	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Tucker, J. G.	Mount Carmel	1895	S. Illinois		Indiana	Effective
Vandaveer, Albert	Athens, Tex.	1888	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired

NAME	P. O. Address	Admitted into full connection		Transferred to S. Ill. Conf.	Nativity	Relation
		Year	Conference			
Van Treese, F. M.	East St. Louis	1869	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wade, C. R.	Anna	1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Warren, J. A. L.		1914	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wardell, H. R.	Mount Erie	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Watson, M. L.	Walnut Hill	1916	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Walton, W. C.	Lebanon	1894	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wakefield, Ralph	Litchfield	1904	St. Louis	1914	Pa.	Effective
Walker, L. S.	Richview	1859	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired
Webb, S. W.	Beaucoup	1916	S. Illinois			Effective
Webber, G. M.	Calexico, Cal.	1883	Cent. Ill.	1896	New York	Retired
Webster, J. W.	Herrin	1896	S. Illinois		Tenn.	Effective
Weiss, Allen S.	Hutsonville	1910	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Whiteside, C. B.	Harrisburg	1897	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Whitlock, W. H.	Lebanon	1903	S. Illinois		Kansas	Effective
Whitzell, G. M.	Hutchinson, Kan.	1875	S. Illinois		Illinois	Retired
Wills, Henry N.	Opdyke	1913	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wilson, F. O.	Jerseyville	1904	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wilkin, L. C.	Lebanon	1893	S. Illinois		Illinois	Supernum'y
Willey, J. E.	Louisville	1911	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wininger, E. G.	Cisne	1911	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Wigham, W. G.	Thebes	1912	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Winter, L. C.	New Douglas	1915	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Williams, John W.	Coulterville	1915	S. Illinois		England	Effective
Woodley, R. D.	Lebanon	1883	Ch. South	1885	N. C.	Retired
Yingst, Adam	Laclede	1889	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Yost, Clark R.	Farina	1913	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Young, H. H.	Vernon	1893	S. Illinois		Illinois	Effective
Yungling, J. P.	Gardena, Cal.	1873	S. Illinois		Virginia	Retired

Probationers

NAME	P. O. Address	Admitted	Class
Edwin Kitt	Hagerstown	1916	First year.
Carl W. Mallinson	Yale	1916	First year.
William E. Shafer	Bethel	1916	First year.
Arthur F. Zimmerman	Waterloo	1916	First year.
Arthur W. Hendrix	St. Jacobs	1915	First year.
William E. Kirby	North Africa	1915	First year.
Virgil Pool	West Frankfort	1915	First year.
Charles E. Reed	Golden Gate	1915	First year.
Carl J. Streubing	Beecher City	1915	First year.
Charles E. Hogue	Allendale	1915	First year.
J. W. Tucker	Mulberry Grove	1914	First year.
Frank G. Heslett	Albuquerque, N. M.	1913	First year.
Cecil Bundy		1913	Second year.
C. E. McDuffee	Jeffersonville	1914	Second year.
Lawrence G. Murray	Makanda	1914	Second year.
Leslie G. Beers	Ina	1915	Second year.
Fred Bedwell	Chauncey	1915	Second year.
John W. Campbell	Boulder	1915	Second year.
Joseph D. Ewers	Moccasin	1915	Second year.
John O. Manning	Buncombe	1915	Second year.
Henry N. Merkel		1915	Second year.
Horace F. Oakes	Shawneetown	1915	Second year.
James B. Prichard	Wheeler	1915	Second year.
James O. Richardson	Beaver Creek	1915	Second year.
Charles L. Stokes	Plain View	1915	Second year.
Sylvester Sechrest	Crab Orchard	1915	Second year.
George S. Wilson	Dahlgren	1915	Second year.
Otto Horsley	Frankfort Heights	1915	Second year.

Supplies

Name	Address	Name	Address
Pierre DeLain	Alma	A. A. Hagler	Omaha
Oscar Mitzel	Huey	Charles Harms	Friendsville
J. W. Willis	Watson	William Cisna	Iuka
W. R. Hammons	Elco	C. A. Curry	Sailor Springs
W. H. Davis	Elizabethtown	W. Y. Critchley	Alton
J. W. Leslie	Dorrisville	H. W. Olinger	Freeburg
Emory Allen	Fortney	R. E. Buford	Glen Carbon
J. M. Smith	Lone Oak	J. B. House	Godfrey
C. M. Prince	McLeansboro	William Evans	Granite City

STATISTICAL TABLES, 1916

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—CARBONDALE DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS		
			Support of Pastor				Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Conf. Claim'nts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
			Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid					
1	Anna	Hoffmire, C. H.	1050	1050	150	....	72	72	18	18	45	45	1185	....	1	15	23
2	Belknap	Page, L. E.	750	750	150	....	48	48	....	....	30	30	828	....	2	25	30
3	Boaz	Presley, J. N.	672	623	72	49	48	42	12	11	30	27	703	59	5	36	41
4	Buncombe	Manning, J. O.	660	569	60	91	48	40	12	10	36	30	649	107	3	20	23
5	Cairo	Cummins, J. W.	2580	2580	....	....	168	168	32	32	80	80	2860	....	1	41	69
6	Carbondale	Cummins, J. S.	2100	2100	400	....	132	132	25	25	75	75	2332	....	1	26	50
7	Carterville	Tritt, C. S.	1200	1200	200	....	80	80	20	10	50	20	1310	40	1	18	31
8	Chester	Woodley, R. D.	800	800	200	....	48	48	12	12	45	45	905	....	1	15	17
9	Corinth	Connett, Ernest	700	700	100	....	48	40	12	5	30	15	760	30	3	29	23
10	Coulterville	Williams, J. W.	800	800	100	....	48	46	12	6	36	20	872	24	1	14	19
11	Crab Orchard	Sechrest, S.	570	540	60	30	40	40	10	5	25	20	605	40	3	19	14
12	Creal Springs	Bell, J. A.	700	710	....	....	56	56	10	10	20	20	796	....	3	21	26
13	Cypress	Slaton, J. R.	820	820	120	....	56	56	14	14	42	42	932	....	4	30	32
14	Du Quoin	Farmer, Z. J.	1204	1229	204	....	80	80	20	20	50	50	1379	....	1	25	30
15	Eddyville	Davidson, J. H.	772	744	72	28	56	53	12	12	35	35	844	31	4	30	21
16	Elco	Hammons, W. R.	460	440	60	20	36	33	10	5	20	15	493	33	1	8	8
17	Elizabethtown	Wigham, W. G.	800	752	100	48	56	51	13	10	35	32	845	59	5	33	36
18	Elkville	Harms, W. C.	950	900	150	50	60	56	14	10	35	25	991	68	2	24	30
19	Golconda	Hanev. T. J.	950	950	120	....	68	68	16	16	42	42	1096	....	2	16	21
20	Herrin	Webster, J. W.	1300	1300	200	....	88	88	22	22	66	66	1476	....	1	26	42
21	Herrin Ct.	Atchison, Charles	.....	322	.....	.....	.....	13	...	1	.....	1	337	....	2	12	20
22	Johnston City	Berst, S. D.	1150	1150	150	....	80	80	20	20	50	50	1300	....	1	15	25
23	Jonesboro	Gould, V. N.	900	900	100	....	64	64	16	16	40	40	1020	....	4	39	44
24	Makanda	Bumpus, M. C.	750	612	100	138	48	48	12	10	25	15	685	150	3	14	23
25	Metropolis	Sullens, V. B.	1500	1500	300	....	100	100	20	20	60	60	1680	....	1	28	34
26	Metropolis Ct.	Bruce, W. C.	550	550	50	....	40	40	9	9	25	25	624	....	5	24	17
27	Marion	Smith, Lawrence.	1740	1740	240	....	120	120	30	30	90	90	1980	....	1	36	51
28	Mound City	Baker, M. B.	1100	1100	200	....	72	72	18	18	45	45	1235	....	1	18	21
29	Mounds	Dunn, G. A.	1100	1100	250	....	68	68	17	17	42	42	1227	....	1	28	30
30	Murphysboro	Peterson, C. L.	2100	2100	400	....	136	136	34	34	75	75	2345	....	1	34	47
31	New Burnside	Stokes, T. C.	725	658	125	67	48	40	12	6	30	6	658	105	5	25	39
32	Olive Branch	Bradley, W. R.	700	700	150	....	56	50	....	6	32	32	788	13	2	18	....
33	Pinckneyville	Reid, J. Y.	1200	1200	200	....	80	80	20	20	60	60	1360	....	1	24	36
34	Reevesville	Webber, G. M.	350	320	36	30	28	19	5	5	15	15	359	39	3	16	16
35	Sparta	Harris, Albert	950	950	150	....	64	64	16	16	40	40	1070	....	1	15	24
36	Steeleville	McRoberts, D. O.	1000	1000	100	....	72	72	16	16	54	54	1142	....	4	47	51
37	Tamaroa	Sheriden, S. O.	700	700	100	....	48	48	12	7	35	12	767	28	3	30	27
38	Thebes and McClure	Bell, V. W.	1080	934	120	126	76	64	18	8	40	15	1041	173	2	16	21
39	Ullin	Bunton, A. E.	820	764	56	120	48	84	12	8	30	20	840	66	4	38	26
40	Vergennes	Yost, C. R.	850	850	....	....	64	64	15	10	45	35	959	15	1	18	19
41	Vienna	Harmon, J. G.	1200	1200	150	....	80	80	15	15	50	50	1345	....	2	24	19
	Total		40303	39927	5545	797	2728	2703	613	545	1710	1516	44623	1080	94	974	1197

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CONFERENCE FOR 1916

Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
			Probationers		Full Members																	
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach's	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
2	2	....	2	.....	125	7	...	2	36	57	1	8000	1	2500	22	50	185	228	....	7	.....	1
6	7	....	8	6	236	.....	...	2	.....	.....	2	7500	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	68	....	.....	.....	2
.....	10	....	15	15	311	10	...	3	.....	.....	5	4000	1	600	.....	.....	.....	75	....	.....	.....	3
24	.....	.....	15	16	210	.....	1	2	.....	.....	4	5400	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	....	.....	.....	4
10	3	20	19	15	400	17	...	1	60	20	1	15000	1	4000	.....	455	300	425	....	.....	.....	5
35	10	50	65	10	683	47	1	5	50	....	2	18000	2	9000	400	500	1000	510	....	.....	.....	6
19	3	....	7	23	288	.....	1	1	50	50	1	10000	1	1200	.....	500	3500	170	....	.....	.....	7
5	3	....	.....	.....	210	.....	...	2	40	20	1	2000	1	1500	100	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	8
7	.....	....	28	20	266	13	1	4	.....	.....	3	8000	1	500	100	450	.....	75	....	.....	.....	9
34	42	....	91	57	173	11	...	1	34	....	1	3500	1	1000	91	.....	.....	103	....	.....	.....	10
36	.....	....	38	.....	200	.....	1	5	23	....	3	2400	1	700	15	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	11
13	7	7	20	11	187	47	1	7	.....	....	3	2500	1	600	150	34	200	60	....	.....	.....	12
25	2	....	26	2	291	12	...	5	.....	....	4	4100	1	1500	.....	80	97	150	8	2	.....	13
12	4	12	12	6	254	31	...	2	44	30	1	8000	....	.....	160	.....	.....	220	....	3	.....	14
2	7	....	2	6	330	15	1	4	75	....	5	4000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	3	.....	15
20	.....	....	4	1	50	20	...	1	40	....	2	1800	1	800	.....	.....	.....	40	....	.....	.....	16
34	3	....	63	10	370	46	...	3	.....	....	5	7000	1	2000	200	80	200	100	....	.....	.....	17
3	16	16	25	15	218	18	2	6	66	....	2	8500	1	2000	60	260	550	125	....	.....	.....	18
18	.....	2	2	2	146	10	...	4	46	70	2	3500	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	19
.....	8	10	3	22	350	150	5	6	25	25	1	10000	1	1900	20	.....	2850	300	....	.....	.....	20
21	4	....	49	8	97	.....	1	....	37	....	1	1000	....	.....	25	.....	500	25	....	.....	.....	21
7	10	....	31	10	140	20	...	2	.....	....	1	14000	1	2000	502	85	4420	280	....	.....	.....	22
46	.....	....	54	2	354	32	...	6	40	....	3	3800	1	1000	50	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	23
6	.....	....	16	.....	332	17	1	4	60	....	3	3600	1	500	.....	.....	.....	92	....	.....	.....	24
12	10	....	.....	.....	325	5	1	5	50	....	1	35000	1	3500	200	500	3000	450	....	.....	.....	25
7	1	....	20	10	212	3	1	3	.....	....	5	6100	1	500	.....	.....	.....	50	....	.....	.....	26
5	4	....	4	15	536	75	2	4	59	35	1	45000	....	.....	52	980	7600	457	....	.....	.....	27
1	3	....	.....	.....	150	.....	...	3	20	....	1	3400	1	900	70	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	28
21	11	9	34	17	185	5	...	2	27	30	1	3000	1	3000	200	300	.....	100	16	2	.....	29
9	55	60	40	.....	484	4	1	3	30	60	1	75000	1	10000	40	1725	29000	3145	....	.....	.....	30
30	.....	....	41	10	300	40	1	2	.....	....	7	3950	1	800	675	.....	160	90	....	.....	.....	31
13	4	....	19	.....	122	.....	1	....	.....	....	2	2700	1	1200	70	.....	.....	34	....	1	.....	32
16	8	....	.....	.....	312	51	1	3	45	75	1	15000	1	2000	150	.....	.....	250	....	.....	.....	33
2	1	....	.....	.....	148	30	...	3	.....	....	4	3500	1	500	.....	.....	.....	75	....	.....	.....	34
25	13	....	60	.....	240	23	...	1	30	67	1	3000	1	2000	201	98	.....	85	....	.....	.....	35
28	17	....	70	8	340	35	...	5	60	50	4	11000	1	1000	150	.....	.....	115	....	3	.....	36
3	4	....	7	5	237	30	...	2	.....	....	3	8000	1	875	.....	107	50	115	5	5	.....	37
1	8	....	5	5	230	30	...	2	.....	....	2	4000	1	1000	100	.....	.....	50	....	.....	.....	38
8	8	....	21	.....	178	5	...	4	20	....	4	5450	1	1200	278	.....	.....	90	....	.....	.....	39
4	2	....	7	.....	130	10	...	....	30	....	1	1200	1	700	.....	.....	.....	60	7	.....	7	40
42	1	....	90	21	250	12	...	2	80	35	2	8200	2	2000	25	.....	.....	175	....	.....	.....	41
612	271	186	1013	354	10600	881	24	122	1177	714	98	389100	39	66775	4106	6204	53612	9067	36	26	7	

TREASURER'S REPORT—CARBONDALE DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	Disciplinary Benevolences										
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.			Freedmen's Aid Society	Board of Education		Conf. Educational Collection		
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund		Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Anna	12	.....	18	12	.....	13	2	6	6	.....	3	3
2	Belknap	14	.....	12	14	.....	12	9	17	.....	.....	4	3
3	Boaz	15	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	2
4	Buncombe	5	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	Cairo	50	.....	50	50	.....	50	20	24	10	.....	10	8
6	Carbondale	35	.....	30	35	.....	30	10	10	10	.....	10	6
7	Carterville	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	12	2	.....	1	.....	.....	3
8	Chester	5	.....	10	5	.....	10	....	2	3	.....	1	.....
9	Corinth	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	5	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
10	Coulterville	12	.....	6	10	.....	4	4	12	.....	.....	.....	5
11	Crab Orchard	10	.....	5	10	.....	5	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12	Creal Springs	5	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
13	Cypress	70	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	10	20	.....	.....	.....	8
14	Du Quoin	76	.....	24	47	.....	23	18	35	6	.....	1	13
15	Eddyville	42	.....	17	30	.....	17	8	15	.....	.....	4	4
16	Elco	5	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Elizabethtown	3	.....	9	2	.....	9	3	2	.....	.....	3	2
18	Elkville	10	.....	8	7	.....	5	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
19	Golconda	7	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Herrin	48	.....	28	40	.....	28	7	14	7	.....	5	7
21	Herrin Ct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
22	Johnston City	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	14	3	.....	1	.....	.....	4
23	Jonesboro	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	17	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
24	Makanda	2	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
25	Metropolis	40	.....	20	35	.....	20	3	25	.....	.....	5	.....
26	Metropolis Circuit	.....	20	9	.....	.....	9	....	.....	.....	.....	3	4
27	Marion	45	10	48	36	.....	48	5	32	6	.....	.....	17
28	Mound City	45	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	5	10	5	.....	5	.....
29	Mounds	15	10	25	30	10	10	8	9	3	.....	5	3
30	Murphysboro	75	.....	45	68	.....	45	20	20	.....	.....	10	10
31	New Burnside	5	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
32	Olive Branch	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	11	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
33	Pinckneyville	141	20	40	85	.....	40	10	30	5	.....	.....	8
34	Reevesville	6	.....	2	6	.....	2	2	8	.....	.....	.....	2
35	Sparta	19	.....	15	13	.....	15	5	14	2	.....	2	6
36	Steeleville	12	.....	21	10	.....	18	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
37	Tamaroa	15	.....	5	10	.....	5	3	7	.....	.....	.....	2
38	Thebes and McClure	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	4	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
39	Ullin	2	.....	4	3	.....	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
40	Vergennes	20	.....	18	15	.....	16	9	5	4	.....	4	3
41	Vienna	30	.....	20	30	.....	18	....	17	2	.....	.....	1
	Total	896	60	556	739	10	520	174	335	73	.....	76	148

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued											Other Benevolences								Other Items					
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Conference Cl'm'nts Annual Conf.	Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
.....	6	....	32	....	....	1	....	....	....	114	30	....	1	8	....	....	38	191	45	18	7	261	1
.....	3	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	93	61	....	2	....	....	....	13	169	30	....	....	199	2
.....	5	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	38	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	47	27	11	....	85	3
.....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12	30	10	....	52	4
.....	42	4	20	10	....	9	....	....	....	357	64	5	3	....	....	....	71	500	80	32	....	612	5
.....	25	8	318	2865	....	1	....	5	....	3398	65	20	3	....	....	....	35	3521	75	25	....	3621	6
.....	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	37	11	....	....	....	....	....	....	48	20	10	....	78	7
1	6	....	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	46	16	....	2	....	....	....	17	81	45	12	....	138	8
.....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	48	....	2	....	....	....	4	72	15	5	....	92	9
.....	12	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	67	73	....	2	....	....	1	316	459	20	6	....	485	10
.....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	35	97	....	....	....	....	....	....	132	20	5	....	157	11
.....	65	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	77	23	....	1	....	....	....	8	109	20	10	....	139	12
.....	....	4	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	176	49	....	2	....	....	....	10	237	42	14	2	295	13
5	170	3	204	....	....	7	....	4	....	636	43	30	3	4	....	....	85	801	50	20	3	874	14
.....	84	2	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	227	13	....	2	....	....	1	10	253	35	12	3	303	15
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	11	15	5	....	31	16
.....	18	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	53	16	....	3	....	....	....	37	109	32	10	....	151	17
.....	49	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	84	2	....	....	....	....	....	37	123	25	10	....	158	18
.....	29	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	45	66	....	2	....	....	....	5	118	42	16	....	176	19
.....	....	3	....	11	....	4	....	2	....	204	16	....	2	....	....	1	....	223	66	22	....	311	20
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	72	74	1	1	....	76	21
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	36	17	....	1	....	....	....	34	88	50	20	....	158	22
.....	27	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	65	13	....	2	....	....	....	87	167	40	16	....	223	23
.....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	11	19	15	10	....	44	24
.....	75	2	....	14	....	3	....	1	....	243	95	....	1	10	....	....	48	397	60	20	....	477	25
.....	19	2	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	70	48	....	....	....	....	....	48	166	25	9	....	200	26
5	4	2	62	419	....	2	....	3	....	744	138	10	3	....	....	1	25	921	90	30	....	1041	27
.....	5	5	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	122	45	....	3	....	....	....	9	179	45	18	....	242	28
.....	152	1	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	283	106	27	2	....	....	....	103	521	42	17	2	582	29
.....	252	6	134	177	....	5	....	2	....	869	21	6	3	....	....	1	56	956	75	34	....	1065	30
.....	21	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	29	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	29	6	6	....	41	31
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	22	34	....	....	....	....	....	....	56	34	6	....	96	32
5	28	5	170	335	....	5	....	4	....	931	48	6	3	....	11	....	78	1077	60	20	....	1157	33
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	30	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	35	15	5	....	55	34
2	....	3	....	22	....	2	....	1	....	121	9	5	2	....	....	1	18	156	40	16	....	212	35
.....	8	1	....	114	....	1	....	4	....	202	5	....	2	....	....	1	66	276	44	16	3	339	36
.....	9	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	58	5	....	....	2	....	....	6	71	12	6	5	94	37
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	15	29	....	1	....	....	1	....	46	15	8	....	69	38
.....	....	1	....	1	....	2	....	1	....	21	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	38	20	8	1	67	39
.....	5	2	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	105	14	....	1	....	....	1	29	150	35	10	....	195	40
.....	13	1	....	26	....	1	....	4	....	163	20	....	....	....	....	....	405	588	50	15	....	653	41
18	1151	63	941	3995	....	71	....	40	....	9866	1362	109	55	24	11	9	1790	13226	1508	544	26	15304	

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—CENTRALIA DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	Ministerial Support: Support of Pastor: Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Support of Dist. Supt.: Claim	Paid	Support of Bishops: Claim	Paid	Support of Conf. Claim'nts: Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools: Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
1	Alma	DeLain, Pierre	900	900	100	....	68	68	15	15	45	45	1028	....	4	38	34
2	Altamount	Ransom, A. R.	1150	1150	150	....	85	85	20	20	60	60	1315	....	1	34	34
3	Ashley	Smith, S. S.	900	900	100	....	68	68	....	5	.....	.....	991	....	1	14	15
4	Avena	Bovard, C. E.	500	450	....	50	40	35	10	8	30	20	513	67	4	42	28
5	Beaucoup	Yingst, Adam	660	620	60	40	51	51	12	12	36	36	719	40	3	30	18
6	Beaver Creek	Reeves, R. A.	800	801	100	....	59	59	14	14	37	37	911	....	4	37	41
7	Beckemeyer and Breeze	Harper, T. E.	200	250	.....	....	20	20	5	3	15	5	278	....	2	20	13
8	Beecher City	Stokes, C. L.	600	426	175	174	44	30	11	2	35	4	462	228	4	32	25
9	Boulder	Campbell, J. W.	175	175	....	....	16	16	3	3	9	9	203	....	1	10	18
10	Brownstown	Glotfelty, P. R.	1150	1178	150	....	85	85	18	18	60	60	1341	....	2	31	35
11	Carlyle	Shafer, J. E.	1050	1050	150	....	75	75	....	5	.....	35	1160	....	1	21	18
12	Central City	Ramsden, Charles	696	696	96	....	.....	.....	12	12	36	36	744	....	2	14	16
13	Centralia	Davis, J. H.	2000	2000	400	....	136	136	32	32	96	96	2264	....	1	46	78
14	Coffeen and Fillmore	Hoots, G. F.	950	950	150	....	68	68	15	15	37	37	1070	....	2	33	29
15	Donnellson	Calvert, Greenlee	830	830	130	....	63	63	16	16	42	42	951	....	1	18	23
16	Effingham	Terhune, W. I.	1200	1200	200	....	80	80	15	15	45	45	1340	....	1	21	40
17	Farina	Britton, J. W.	900	900	100	....	68	68	12	10	40	40	1018	2	1	25	24
18	Greenville	Spragg, C. H.	1210	1210	210	....	85	85	20	20	60	60	1375	....	1	23	33
19	Hagerstown	Coppage, R. T.	550	531	100	18	38	38	8	8	24	24	601	18	3	20	27
20	Herrick	Sweeny, N. D.	825	925	105	....	70	70	....	6	.....	30	1031	....	2	26	25
21	Huey	Mitzell, Oscar	725	705	75	20	45	45	12	12	36	36	798	20	4	44	39
22	Irvington	Douthitt, Noah	750	750	100	....	55	55	12	12	36	36	853	....	3	20	25
23	Kinmundy	McNeill, J. W.	1000	1000	150	....	85	80	19	16	58	58	1154	8	1	25	27
24	Laclede	Wright, Owen	530	530	.....	....	45	45	5	5	20	20	600	....	2	22	17
25	Litchfield	Wakefield, Ralph	2000	2000	300	....	140	140	34	34	100	100	2274	....	2	35	43
26	Mason	Brown, R. M.	1000	1000	100	....	76	76	15	15	45	45	1136	....	3	40	24
27	Moccasin	Ewers, Joseph	665	665	36	....	56	56	13	8	40	18	747	27	4	48	28
28	Mulberry Grove	Tucker, J. W.	575	549	100	26	50	.....	11	....	30	.....	549	....	3	40	36
29	Nashville	Hoar, S. H.	1000	1000	150	....	72	72	16	16	40	40	1128	....	1	17	19
30	Odin	McKown, M. C.	700	700	100	....	44	44	10	10	30	30	784	....	1	10	8
31	Okawville	Elston, V. W.	360	360	.....	....	28	28	7	7	20	20	415	....	1	12	8
32	Panama and New Douglas	Botkin, W. L.	860	785	....	75	73	64	10	2	25	16	867	101	2	16	18
33	Patoka	Anderson, W. G.	700	680	100	20	52	49	12	12	36	30	771	29	2	22	19
34	Pocahontas	Baker, D. W.	850	850	150	....	56	56	14	14	35	35	955	....	1	22	23
35	Ramsey	Moorman, C. W.	883	883	100	....	68	68	18	18	54	54	1023	....	1	21	20
36	Richview	Hatten, C. T.	400	400	.....	....	34	34	8	8	24	24	466	....	1	15	10
37	Salem	Wilson, F. O.	1500	1500	300	....	100	100	24	24	70	70	1694	....	1	31	39
38	Sandoval	Latimer, C. B.	400	400	.....	....	32	32	6	6	21	21	459	....	1	10	14
39	Shobonier	Livingstone, S. A.	800	820	100	....	60	60	14	14	42	42	936	....	4	50	60
40	Sorento	Martin, T. A.	900	900	100	....	68	68	16	16	48	48	1032	....	2	25	41
41	St. Elmo	Adams, J. M.	1400	1400	200	....	100	100	.....	....	60	60	1560	....	....	....	....
42	Trenton and New Baden	Fidler, George	1100	1100	200	....	76	76	19	17	50	36	1212	33	2	30	33
43	Vandalia	Shumard, C. D.	1600	1500	300	100	136	128	32	32	96	90	1750	114	1	37	57
44	Vernon	Tate, O. W.	600	600	75	....	51	51	12	12	36	36	699	....	2	27	25
45	Walnut Hill	Sisney, C. E.	725	671	100	54	53	50	12	11	36	30	762	64	3	30	10
46	Wamac	Nave, J. W.	400	400	.....	....	32	32	5	5	15	15	452	....	1	30	22
47	Watson	Wininger, Frank	660	560	60	100	60	50	7	5	30	10	625	132	4	30	23
	Total	.....	40329	39850	5262	677	2966	2859	601	570	1839	1759	45016	883	95	1249	1281

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Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
			Probationers		Full Members																	
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach's	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
14	4	4	14	2	237	31	1	6	.....	....	4	5000	1	700	75	.....	.....	85	....	.....	.....	1
1	8	30	.....	3	246	40	..	1	60	42	1	25000	1	1500	21	1834	3175	371	....	.....	.....	2
...	3	18	4	3	152	.....	...	4	25	30	1	5000	1	1000	45	.....	.....	138	....	2	.....	3
2	3	....	12	4	170	.....	2	1	.....	....	4	5000	1	600	.....	.....	.....	60	....	.....	1	4
...	5	4	4	.....	190	10	...	1	55	....	4	4400	1	900	15	.....	.....	125	....	2	.....	5
5	4	2	4	2	196	14	...	3	65	17	5	4200	1	1400	150	.....	.....	175	....	3	.....	6
1	10	....	1	.....	44	.....	...	2	.....	....	2	2000	....	.....	177	.....	.....	20	....	3	.....	7
5	.....	....	12	9	150	21	...	2	.....	....	4	4000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	65	....	.....	.....	8
...	.....	....	2	2	75	10	...	1	29	....	1	1400	....	.....	109	.....	.....	35	....	.....	.....	9
17	.....	13	22	5	162	29	1	2	25	25	2	13000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	247	....	.....	.....	10
10	5	....	15	6	140	3	...	2	20	60	1	13000	1	3500	1000	75	400	150	....	4	.....	11
3	3	....	9	4	125	6	...	....	30	30	2	2000	1	800	135	.....	.....	90	....	.....	.....	12
23	10	30	47	14	730	22	...	7	100	....	1	35000	1	3500	197	150	750	980	....	.....	.....	13
1	1	....	4	3	210	.....	1	3	45	....	2	4300	2	2300	50	.....	.....	150	....	.....	.....	14
16	.....	....	26	1	121	.....	1	....	28	30	1	2000	1	1200	500	.....	.....	170	....	.....	.....	15
18	7	....	27	.....	289	10	2	6	60	....	1	22000	1	2500	1800	.....	600	340	....	.....	.....	16
5	.....	....	9	1	179	16	...	3	60	20	1	11000	1	1000	.....	418	3375	225	....	.....	.....	17
...	.....	....	15	1	340	9	1	3	30	40	1	15000	1	2800	158	655	144	327	....	4	.....	18
14	.....	....	13	.....	145	28	...	1	.....	....	4	2500	1	3500	82	.....	.....	90	....	3	.....	19
15	.....	10	26	11	147	17	2	....	70	68	2	2000	1	2500	1200	.....	600	82	....	.....	.....	20
16	12	....	38	.....	250	60	...	3	20	28	4	8000	1	800	60	100	191	200	5	5	.....	21
14	1	....	15	10	211	27	...	2	70	33	4	7000	1	1000	5	918	739	100	....	.....	.....	22
...	14	16	16	2	182	18	...	2	46	60	1	15000	1	2000	225	.....	100	270	....	.....	.....	23
3	.....	....	5	.....	119	6	...	.....	.....	....	2	3000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	24
17	1	....	26	3	486	46	...	6	32	....	2	9000	1	4000	95	.....	.....	487	....	.....	.....	25
3	2	....	4	.....	240	10	2	6	60	20	3	3500	1	1000	1850	.....	.....	200	....	2	.....	26
4	3	....	4	.....	268	2	...	2	25	....	4	7500	1	250	105	.....	.....	35	....	.....	.....	27
30	2	2	30	6	267	12	1	17	34	63	3	5600	1	1000	75	.....	.....	160	8	2	6	28
...	1	....	.....	.....	197	26	1	2	34	50	1	4000	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	150	....	10	.....	29
12	1	....	12	.....	93	4	...	4	.....	58	1	2000	1	800	56	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	30
...	2	....	2	2	39	8	...	3	.....	....	1											
												1200	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	31
5	9	....	.....	.....	83	9	...	1	25	....	2	3000	1	450	6	78	.....	105	....	.....	.....	32
6	.....	....	6	3	131	.....	...	3	.....	....	2	4000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	80	....	.....	.....	33
...	1	....	15	15	130	7	1	1	35	....	1	12000	1	1500	.....	100	.....	225	....	6	.....	34
...	.....	....	.....	.....	176	10	...	3	30	....	2	4000	1	1500	78	.....	350	215	....	.....	.....	35
...	.....	....	.....	12	130	26	...	1	.....	....	1	2000	....	.....	100	.....	100	75	....	.....	.....	36
3	7	20	6	14	313	8	...	2	30	50	1	40000	1	3900	.....	.....	13800	275	....	.....	.....	37
4	8	....	6	1	60	8	...	1	.....	....	1	2000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87	12	.....	.....	38
38	8	....	78	.....	200	20	...	7	60	40	4	4000	1	1000	100	65	.....	75	....	1	.....	39
25	6	3	25	9	225	25	...	3	40	30	2	4400	1	800	60	55	.....	125	....	.....	.....	40
13	12	....	9	6	340	25	...	6	50	30	1	13000	1	5000	50	.....	.....	225	....	.....	.....	41
6	7	....	5	4	216	11	...	3	76	....	2	8000	1	1000	120	.....	.....	230	....	5	.....	42
5	9	10	6	1	561	5	1	4	50	55	1	35000	1	3000	270	.....	.....	590	....	.....	.....	43
7	11	10	6	.....	200	13	...	3	.....	....	2	3000	1	900	230	.....	.....	75	....	.....	.....	44
7	.....	....	5	.....	209	16	...	4	15	10	4	4000	1	1000	40	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	45
13	1	....	.....	5	106	14	1	....	50	40	1	3000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	46
19	3	25	.....	.....	237	.....	1	3	.....	....	5	4800	1	700	.....	.....	250	150	....	.....	.....	47
400	184	197	585	164	9717	682	19	140	1484	929	102	358300	41	67100	9239	4448	24574	8484	25	52	7	

TREASURER'S REPORT—CENTRALIA DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	Disciplinary Benevolences											
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.			Freedmen's Aid Society	Board of Education				
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conf. Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Alma	20			15				7			5	
2	Altamont	90	3		53		17	5	20			2	2
3	Ashley	20			20							2	
4	Avena			16	16			2		1			1
5	Beaucoup	12		10	4		2	3	4	2			2
6	Beaver Creek	35		12	24		8	6	13	4		3	2
7	Beckemeyer and Breese	11			8			1	1			1	
8	Beecher City	8			6								
9	Brownstown	75	37	2	55		2	3	35				6
10	Carlyle	10			8								5
11	Central City	27	2		25			4	7			3	
12	Centralia	160	39	40	176		28	25	40			11	19
13	Coffeen and Fillmore	30		10	24		10	5	5	5			5
14	Donnellson	30	2	20	22		20	5	10	5			5
15	Effingham	9		25			20	2		4			5
16	Farina	64	4	17	57		14	12	23	4		1	3
17	Greenville	86	7	25	78		25	19	43			11	5
18	Hagerstown	10			7		3		10			1	
19	Herrick	15	2		15		1	3		7			2
20	Huey	25			25			6	10	2			
21	Irvington	14	5		17					11			
22	Kinmundy	25		10	15			3		4		8	
23	Laclede	34		3	31		3	3	2			2	
24	Litchfield	158	129	20	137		10	30	50	10		10	12
25	Mason	18	4	40	10		35	5	20				5
26	Moccasin	15		4	14		3	5		4			1
27	Mulberry Grove	38	5		35			6				2	
28	Nashville	31	2	12	30		10	1	2				2
29	Odin	12		9	10		6	3	10			2	1
30	Okawville			9			10		5			3	
31	Panama and New Douglas											4	
32	Patoka	18		12	17		12	6	14			3	3
33	Boulder	10	5		6								2
34	Pocahontas	10		15	10		10	2	1	2		1	1
35	Ramsey	40		10	40		5	7	15	4		2	3
36	Richview	2		10	10				5				
37	Salem	30			30			9				1	6
38	Sandoval	6	2		4								
39	Shobonier	10	5		5			1	1			1	
40	Sorento	12			9		3	8	3	3		4	
41	St. Elmo	120		25	100		20	14	40			5	5
42	Trenton and New Baden	30	1	5	20		6	7		7			5
43	Vandalia	100	15	33	95		33	10	45	6		9	15
44	Vernon	47		5	40		4	8	22			2	4
45	Walnut Hill	17			14			4	7	3		1	1
46	Wamac	20	5		15			2	25			2	
47	Watson	5			3								
	Total	1559	274	399	1355		320	235	495	88		102	128

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued											Other Benevolences							Other Items				
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Conference Cl'm'nts Annual Conf.	Conference Cl'm'nts Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
.....	....	2	22	....	....	2	....	....	....	73	16	....	2	10	....	....	30	131	45	15	....	191	1
.....	52	2	44	....	....	....	....	1	....	291	37	40	....	14	....	....	41	423	60	20	....	503	2
.....	8	....	....	13	....	....	....	....	....	63	9	2	2	5	....	....	15	96	18	5	2	121	3
.....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	38	5	....	2	....	....	....	....	45	20	8	....	73	4
.....	69	2	....	....	....	2	....	7	....	119	47	73	2	6	....	....	1	248	36	12	2	298	5
.....	69	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	179	53	10	2	9	....	....	69	322	37	14	3	376	6
1	8	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	33	8	....	....	5	....	....	....	46	1	1	3	51	7
.....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	17	5	....	....	....	....	....	3	25	4	2	....	31	8
.....	10	....	72	....	....	....	....	2	....	299	54	21	2	12	....	....	196	584	60	18	....	662	9
.....	69	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	95	67	....	2	10	....	1	26	201	37	5	2	245	10
.....	2	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	73	4	5	1	10	....	1	39	133	36	12	....	181	11
.....	....	4	267	154	....	5	....	6	....	974	32	70	3	18	....	1	50	1148	96	32	....	1276	12
.....	....	2	68	....	....	3	....	2	....	169	8	....	....	....	....	....	80	257	37	15	....	309	13
.....	10	2	1	76	....	1	....	2	....	211	33	....	2	10	....	....	52	309	42	16	....	367	14
.....	40	....	93	201	....	....	....	3	....	402	25	....	3	10	....	....	18	458	45	15	....	518	15
.....	13	2	....	....	....	4	....	3	....	221	....	23	....	....	....	....	79	323	40	10	....	373	16
.....	145	3	78	....	....	....	....	3	....	532	21	23	2	12	....	2	83	675	60	20	4	759	17
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	33	22	....	....	7	....	....	....	62	24	8	3	97	18
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	45	21	....	....	....	....	....	9	76	30	6	....	111	19
.....	19	2	....	....	....	2	....	1	....	92	10	13	2	10	....	....	15	142	36	12	5	195	20
.....	18	1	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	74	2	....	....	8	....	....	....	84	36	12	....	132	21
5	15	1	37	....	....	1	....	1	....	125	21	....	....	10	....	....	115	271	58	16	....	345	22
5	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	85	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	85	20	5	....	110	23
.....	55	3	95	2856	....	10	....	....	....	3585	82	30	3	16	....	1	105	3822	100	34	....	3956	24
.....	22	1	22	11	....	1	....	....	....	194	68	....	1	2	....	....	....	265	45	15	2	327	25
.....	22	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	70	35	....	2	4	....	....	23	134	18	8	....	160	26
.....	504	....	5	....	....	4	5	1	....	406	25	18	....	8	....	....	25	482	19	11	2	514	27
2	9	2	1	1	....	1	....	2	....	107	10	....	....	....	....	....	39	156	40	16	10	222	28
.....	33	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	88	7	36	2	7	....	....	4	144	30	10	....	184	29
.....	4	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	32	....	....	....	5	....	....	18	55	20	7	4	86	30
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	10	....	....	5	....	....	86	105	16	2	....	123	31
.....	155	2	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	244	4	19	....	5	....	....	232	504	30	12	....	546	32
.....	8	1	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	34	....	....	....	4	....	....	43	81	9	3	....	93	33
.....	17	2	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	73	46	24	2	8	....	....	16	169	35	8	6	218	34
.....	67	2	....	7	....	3	....	....	....	205	....	16	....	5	....	....	10	236	54	18	....	308	35
.....	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	77	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	82	24	8	....	114	36
.....	....	....	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	116	....	20	....	....	....	....	18	154	70	24	....	248	37
.....	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	....	....	....	3	....	....	32	53	21	6	....	80	38
.....	35	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	60	....	....	2	2	....	....	41	105	42	14	1	162	39
.....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	43	3	....	....	....	....	....	15	61	48	16	....	125	40
1	136	1	185	....	....	5	....	3	....	660	7	25	2	10	....	....	355	1059	60	24	....	1143	41
.....	205	3	....	104	....	....	....	3	....	396	66	....	....	11	....	....	8	481	36	17	5	539	42
.....	33	5	385	171	....	5	....	4	....	964	36	61	3	15	....	1	24	1104	90	32	....	1226	43
.....	67	2	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	204	....	30	....	6	....	....	89	329	36	12	....	377	44
.....	68	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	117	14	....	....	5	....	....	....	136	30	11	....	177	45
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	71	7	....	1	5	....	....	16	100	.....	5	....	105	46
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	.....	....	....	8	47
14	1845	58	1415	3594	....	76	13	49	....	12020	920	559	45	292	....	7	2125	15968	1751	592	54	18365	

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—EAST ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS		
			Support of Pastor				Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Conf. Claim'nts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
			Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid					
1	Alton—First	Geyer, A. C.	2000	2000	300	....	136	136	34	34	102	102	2272	....	1	25	394
2	Washington Ave.	Burrows, Joseph	500	500	....	....	40	40	5	4	30	9	553	22	1	10	130
3	Wesley	Mumford, M. S.	1250	1250	250	....	80	80	20	20	60	60	1410	....	1	19	489
4	Batchtown	Hall, J. S.	636	586	36	50	48	48	16	16	48	48	698	50	3	24	200
5	Bellville—Epworth	Menze, F. D.	400	400	....	....	32	32	....	....	10	10	442	....	2	20	225
6	First	Jones, J. H.	1500	1500	300	....	96	96	24	21	72	60	1677	15	1	25	360
7	Bethalto	Clements, R. O.	950	950	100	....	68	68	17	17	51	51	1086	....	3	40	340
8	Brighton	Wade, C. R.	950	950	100	....	68	68	17	17	51	51	1086	....	1	17	130
9	Bunker Hill	Lackey, S. C.	900	900	150	....	60	60	15	15	37	37	1013	....	3	26	220
10	Collinsville	Cates, Theodore.	1240	1240	240	....	80	80	15	15	60	60	1395	....	1	28	475
	East St. Louis—																
11	Alta Sita	Dever, J. S.	750	750	....	....	60	60	8	8	24	24	842	....	1	....	160
12	Bond Ave.	Watson, M. L.	840	847	240	....	48	48	12	12	30	5	902	25	1	14	225
13	Century	Lee, J. A.	900	780	300	120	48	21	12	8	36	24	833	163	1	9	115
14	First Church	Harmon, C.	2600	2600	500	....	160	160	40	40	126	126	2926	....	1	46	890
15	Slavonic Mission	Fransee, W. F.	100	30	....	70	8	8	4	4	5	5	47	70	1	9	152
16	State St.	Nickerson, J. E.	950	950	200	....	60	60	15	15	35	35	1060	....	1	20	250
17	Edwardsville	Morris, Robert	2050	2050	250	....	144	144	36	36	108	108	2338	....	1	24	647
18	Elsah	Fahnestock, J. W.	900	900	100	....	64	64	16	16	48	48	1028	....	4	59	360
19	Freeburg	Edwards, G. W.	650	650	100	....	44	44	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	....	155
20	Gillespie	Sowers, T. B.	1200	1200	200	....	80	80	20	20	60	60	1360	....	1	34	743
21	Gillespie Circuit	Hagler, A. A.	112	95	....	....	7	7	1	....	5	....	109	17	....	....	....
22	Glen Carbon	Buford, R. E.	150	150	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	155	....	2	17	140
23	Godfrey	House, J. B.	620	620	120	....	40	40	10	10	30	30	700	....	1	10	101
24	Grafton	Jackson, Marion	950	950	150	....	64	64	16	16	48	48	1078	....	3	30	200
	Granite City—																
25	Dewey Ave.	Kinsey, O. B.	944	844	144	64	64	64	16	14	48	42	964	108	1	17	217
26	Niedringhaus	Shadrick, J. D.	1800	1800	500	....	144	144	28	28	90	90	2062	....	1	47	775
27	Hamburg	Cunningham, W.	900	900	100	....	64	64	16	16	48	35	1015	13	3	30	280
28	Jerseyville	Carroll, E. T.	1500	1500	300	....	96	96	24	24	72	72	1692	....	1	36	440
29	Kane	Hoar, B. A.	950	950	100	....	68	68	17	17	51	51	1086	....	1	19	235
30	Lebanon	Whitlock, W. H.	*1500	1500	200	....	88	88	22	22	66	66	1676	....	1	32	231
31	Madison	Johnson, J. B.	1100	1100	....	....	72	72	10	10	54	54	2336	....	1	20	180
32	Marissa	Hearn, P. H.	1200	1000	200	200	80	80	16	16	40	40	1136	200	1	23	285
33	Medora	Hopkins, F. D.	850	850	100	....	60	60	15	15	45	45	970	....	1	22	176
34	Mount Olive	King, T. S.	750	750	150	....	48	48	12	12	36	36	844	....	1	13	170
35	O'Fallon	McPherson, W. H.	800	715	150	85	52	46	13	7	....	....	768	97	1	11	94
36	Piasa	Hanks, G. W.	1000	915	100	85	72	65	18	16	54	48	1144	100	2	38	257
37	Plainview	James, F. M.	700	700	100	....	48	48	8	6	30	28	782	....	3	32	107
38	Shiloh & Caseyville	Evans, William	500	410	100	90	32	7	....	3	....	2	422	115	1	7	85
39	Shipman	Ewers, M. H.	900	900	100	....	64	64	16	16	48	48	1028	....	1	27	164
40	Signal Hill	Crouse, E.	416	416	....	....	33	33	2	2	24	24	475	....	1	8	111
41	St. Jacobs	Warren, J. A. L.	275	280	....	....	22	22	....	....	....	....	302	....	....	....	....
42	Staunton	Thero, Samuel	1125	1125	200	....	74	74	19	19	55	55	1273	....	2	37	435
43	Tilden	Mathews, S. A.	600	668	100	....	48	48	12	12	40	40	868	....	1	16	234
44	Troy	Smith, J. W.	820	822	120	....	56	56	14	14	42	42	932	....	2	27	170
45	Venice	Landis, J. A.	500	500	....	....	40	40	10	6	30	25	571	9	1	14	120
46	Waterloo & Renault	Richardson, J. O.	400	310	....	90	32	32	8	4	24	10	356	106	2	25	200
	Total		49628	42803	6400	854	2892	2832	649	624	1985	1854	47712	1110	64	1007	11751

*Only $1100 of this sum is paid by the local Church.

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Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
			Probationers		Full Members																	
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach'rs	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
....	10	....	3	14	630	13	2	2	80	46	1	40000	1	4000	314	.....	12500	530	....	5	.....	1
2	18	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	10	15	1	10000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	....	.....	.....	2
....	19	....	.....	.....	317	33	...	2	41	....	1	7000	1	3000	521	242	1420	210	....	.....	.....	3
....	15	....	10	.....	142	3	...	3	.....	....	3	4000	1	500	160	.....	.....	40	....	.....	.....	4
....	.....	....	.....	.....	50	.....	...	...	22	....	2	4500	1	1800	200	.....	200	100	....	.....	.....	5
6	14	35	.....	.....	300	8	...	2	50	35	1	12000	1	2500	637	.....	.....	243	....	3	.....	6
3	.....	....	9	.....	216	10	...	....	32	....	3	6000	1	1500	.....	57	.....	225	....	.....	.....	7
19	3	3	32	3	156	20	...	4	41	....	1	5000	1	1500	60	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	8
5	3	....	7	2	150	6	1	6	.....	.....	3	9000	1	2000	150	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	9
6	8	....	4	4	247	.....	...	6	60	35	1	15000	1	2000	229	1421	4200	250	8	2	6	10
8	12	....	.....	.....	114	45	2	2	.....	....	1	4000	....	.....	404	1003	1750	89	....	.....	.....	11
4	14	....	1	1	142	22	...	2	.....	....	1	5000	1	2000	225	68	1400	434	3	.....	3	12
3	.....	....	4	1	84	37	1	1	40	26	1	1700	1	2000	100	50	1900	142	11	.....	11	13
33	4	65	58	2	1280	29	3	6	80	95	1	75000	1	7000	100	13000	.....	3083	....	17	.....	14
2	7	2	8	24	78	63	...	2	.....	30	1	14000	....	.....	121	.....	.....	113	....	.....	.....	15
6	8	....	30	2	166	8	...	....	40	60	1	4000	1	1200	3	4	1250	150	....	.....	.....	16
1	15	....	3	8	444	7	...	3	41	60	1	15000	1	3000	206	.....	.....	376	....	.....	.....	17
....	7	....	.....	.....	267	.....	...	3	.....	....	3	4000	1	1500	100	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	18
1	1	....	.....	.....	33	.....	...	...	.....	....	2	2000	1	800	.....	.....	.....	45	....	.....	.....	19
23	9	11	16	8	336	.....	1	7	30	102	1	7000	1	3000	250	645	.....	425	....	.....	.....	20
11	.....	....	.....	.....	50	.....	...	3	16	....	2	1600	....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	21
10	5	....	27	8	33	.....	...	1	35	....	2	1500	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	....	.....	.....	22
1	.....	....	1	1	80	.....	1	3	20	12	1	7000	1	1200	212	.....	.....	96	6	.....	.....	23
9	29	....	24	1	233	10	...	3	.....	....	5	6500	1	1200	.....	175	.....	180	....	.....	.....	24
....	5	....	.....	.....	94	8	...	1	.....	....	1	3500	....	.....	137	360	.....	50	....	.....	.....	25
18	16	22	50	32	589	79	1	1	45	30	1	32000	1	8000	.....	800	7500	712	....	7	.....	26
....	1	....	.....	.....	177	11	...	1	.....	....	3	5500	1	1500	100	.....	.....	152	....	.....	.....	27
2	2	5	4	2	422	10	...	7	40	28	1	12000	1	3500	100	275	125	300	....	.....	.....	28
....	.....	....	.....	.....	198	38	...	4	30	10	1	5000	1	2000	500	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	29
19	8	....	41	2	278	20	4	2	62	29	1	15000	1	4000	202	.....	.....	401	....	.....	.....	30
.....	.....	....	3	.....	134	.....	...	...	20	40	1	6000	....	.....	200	.....	2800	200	....	.....	.....	31
5	3	19	9	.....	249	27	...	1	30	34	1	10000	1	2000	28	180	2800	190	....	4	.....	32
5	.....	....	7	.....	116	17	...	2	20	10	1	2000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	33
.....	9	....	4	.....	52	.....	...	...	.....	....	1	1500	1	2500	.....	.....	550	100	....	.....	.....	34
13	1	....	16	.....	114	6	...	....	25	20	1	4000	1	2000	.....	.....	.....	125	....	.....	.....	35
.....	.....	....	.....	.....	150	15	...	3	42	....	3	6500	1	1800	150	.....	.....	150	....	.....	.....	36
.....	2	....	10	10	146	13	...	....	30	....	2	3500	1	1000	30	.....	.....	30	....	.....	.....	37
.....	6	....	6	11	62	.....	...	...	.....	....	1	5000	1	1000	200	.....	25	20	....	.....	.....	38
1	3	....	1	.....	149	1	...	1	35	25	1	3500	1	1500	.....	50	400	130	....	.....	.....	39
1	6	15	7	6	59	12	...	....	20	36	1	5500	....	.....	11	200	1400	15	....	.....	.....	40
3	1	....	.....	.....	45	.....	...	...	.....	....	1	1000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	41
.....	9	....	.....	.....	229	.....	...	2	38	84	2	6500	1	2000	271	.....	.....	235	....	.....	.....	42
7	2	....	10	.....	86	.....	...	1	15	30	1	4000	1	1200	15	.....	.....	120	....	7	.....	43
25	5	15	37	9	231	68	...	3	33	12	2	5000	1	1500	.....	53	400	134	....	.....	.....	44
6	9	....	9	42	82	5	...	....	23	16	1	4000	....	.....	300	.....	16	42	....	3	.....	45
1	7	4	7	7	34	.....	1	....	.....	.....	2	3700	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	75	....	.....	.....	46
257	296	196	455	200	9244	644	17	90	1146	920	72	385500	36	79200	6261	18583	40636	10615	28	48	20	

TREASURER'S REPORT—EAST ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	Disciplinary Benevolences											
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.			Freedmen's Aid Society	Board of Education				
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conf. Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Alton—First	167	.....	45	137	.....	45	23	32	36	.....	19	16
2	Washington Ave.	10	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	....	1	3	.....	.....	1
3	Wesley	80	100	19	31	.....	19	13	26	.....	.....	9	4
4	Batchtown	10	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	Bellville—Epworth	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	10	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
6	First	85	.....	25	75	.....	25	7	20	9	.....	.....	7
7	Bethalto	18	.....	13	14	.....	10	3	2	3	.....	2	2
8	Brighton	23	5	15	15	.....	15	8	12	5	12	5	3
9	Bunker Hill	14	.....	7	20	.....	3	4	.....	8	.....	.....	3
10	Collinsville	35	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	5	5	.....	.....	.....	2
11	East St. Louis—First	100	5	120	50	.....	120	25	124	.....	.....	.....	20
12	Alta Sita	4	.....	16	4	.....	16	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
13	Bond Ave.	20	.....	10	.....	.....	10	....	.....	.....	.....	1	2
14	Century	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Slavonic Settlement	2	.....	3	2	.....	3	....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
16	State St.	10	5	10	12	.....	8	....	2	1	.....	1	7
17	Edwardsville	188	150	28	159	.....	28	32	61	9	.....	19	26
18	Elsah	36	.....	.....	36	.....	.....	5	10	.....	.....	.....	5
19	Freeburg	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Gillespie	74	30	6	64	.....	6	11	25	5	.....	9	5
21	Gillespie Circuit	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
22	Glen Carbon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23	Godfrey	27	.....	13	17	.....	13	5	7	9	.....	2	3
24	Grafton	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	5	2	5	.....	.....	.....	2
25	Granite City—Niedringhaus	50	32	68	50	.....	68	10	.....	.....	10	.....	15
26	Dewey Ave.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27	Hamburg	10	100	15	25	.....	7	....	.....	3	.....	.....	1
28	Jerseyville	75	1	50	50	.....	50	21	25	15	.....	5	15
29	Kane	53	.....	14	47	.....	14	7	8	5	.....	2	4
30	Lebanon	57	90	27	68	.....	26	15	28	.....	.....	14	5
31	Madison	25	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	....	.....	1	.....	.....	3
32	Marissa	15	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	2	3	.....	.....	.....	1
33	Medora	.....	.....	35	20	.....	.....	4	2	5	.....	.....	7
34	Mount Olive	5	.....	5	2	.....	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	3
35	Plainview	20	.....	5	20	.....	.....	2	5	.....	5	.....	.....
36	Piasa	42	.....	18	40	.....	18	7	11	4	.....	.....	7
37	Shiloh and Caseyville	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
38	Shipman	35	.....	15	25	.....	14	4	13	2	.....	3	5
39	Signal Hill	27	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
40	St. Jacobs	15	.....	.....	5	.....	5	1	2	.....	.....	.....	3
41	Staunton	22	.....	33	17	.....	32	6	17	4	.....	.....	7
42	Tilden	10	.....	6	4	.....	6	....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
43	Troy	5	.....	5	4	.....	4	....	.....	2	.....	1	2
44	Venice	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	12	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
45	Waterloo and Renault	5	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total	1380	518	697	1101	.....	586	235	449	102	27	92	180

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued											Other Benevolences								Other Items				
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Conference Cl'm'nts: Annual Conf. Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
.....	17	4	108	....	....	7	....	4	....	630	30	....	....	17	....	....	39	716	102	34	5	857	1
.....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	33	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	35	9	4	....	48	2
.....	18	3	....	40	....	4	....	2	....	368	27	....	3	10	....	1	51	460	60	20	....	540	3
.....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24	....	....	2	....	....	1	30	57	48	16	....	121	4
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27	1	....	....	....	....	....	17	45	10	3	....	58	5
.....	13	2	100	....	....	5	....	2	....	375	11	....	3	12	....	1	18	420	60	21	3	504	6
.....	42	1	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	113	6	....	....	....	....	....	60	179	51	17	....	247	7
.....	6	2	25	....	....	3	....	2	....	156	35	....	2	....	....	1	8	202	51	17	....	270	8
.....	2	2	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	66	44	17	2	5	....	....	88	220	37	15	2	276	9
.....	....	....	67	29	....	1	....	....	....	179	7	....	3	....	....	....	36	225	60	15	....	300	10
.....	....	10	221	880	....	10	....	....	....	1685	....	....	3	20	....	1	505	2214	126	40	17	2397	11
.....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	45	22	....	....	....	....	1	10	78	24	8	4	114	12
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	43	1	....	....	....	....	....	7	47	10	7	....	64	13
.....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	16	1	....	....	....	....	....	7	24	24	8	....	56	14
.....	....	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	17	4	4	1	26	15
2	....	2	54	....	....	1	....	2	....	117	22	....	1	....	....	....	3	143	35	15	....	193	16
.....	123	6	68	....	....	12	....	2	....	891	75	....	3	18	....	1	27	1015	108	36	....	1159	17
.....	56	2	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	152	79	....	....	8	....	....	18	257	48	16	....	321	18
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	12	....	....	....	....	....	6	23	12	....	....	35	19
.....	46	2	10	2	....	3	....	2	....	300	18	25	....	10	....	....	448	801	60	20	....	881	20
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	2	....	7	21
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	22
.....	15	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	114	2	2	2	1	....	1	....	122	30	10	....	162	23
.....	....	1	73	....	....	1	....	....	....	99	23	....	....	10	....	....	....	132	48	16	....	196	24
.....	49	3	139	510	....	4	....	....	....	1008	....	....	....	4	....	....	189	1201	90	28	7	1326	25
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	42	14	....	61	26
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	163	36	....	2	8	....	1	37	247	35	16	....	298	27
.....	18	2	154	2	....	5	....	2	....	490	....	....	3	....	....	1	181	675	72	24	....	771	28
.....	63	3	21	19	....	2	....	2	....	264	2	....	2	9	....	1	1	279	51	17	....	347	29
.....	142	5	159	91	....	2	....	6	....	735	31	....	2	11	....	1	132	912	66	22	....	1000	30
.....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	55	....	....	....	5	....	....	20	80	54	10	....	144	31
.....	12	....	26	....	....	1	....	....	....	85	35	....	2	5	....	....	55	182	40	16	4	242	32
.....	63	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	138	32	....	1	8	....	1	38	218	45	15	....	278	33
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	21	3	5	....	....	....	....	45	74	36	12	....	122	34
.....	9	2	42	....	....	....	....	2	....	112	4	....	1	....	....	....	....	117	12	6	....	135	35
.....	94	2	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	247	20	3	2	8	....	1	37	318	48	16	....	382	36
.....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	2	3	....	18	37
.....	25	1	5	....	....	2	....	2	....	151	20	....	....	8	....	1	43	223	48	16	....	287	38
.....	55	1	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	99	....	....	....	1	....	1	3	104	24	2	....	130	39
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	31	3	....	....	....	....	....	6	40	....	....	3	43	40
.....	125	4	....	....	....	2	....	1	....	270	6	10	1	5	....	1	112	405	55	19	....	479	41
.....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	39	7	....	....	6	....	1	13	66	40	12	7	125	42
.....	1	1	14	4	....	....	....	....	....	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	31	74	42	14	....	130	43
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	30	25	6	3	64	44
.....	10	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24	....	....	1	2	....	....	5	32	10	4	....	46	45
2	1048	68	1287	1578	....	82	....	37	....	9469	621	62	43	191	....	19	2324	12729	1859	616	57	15261	

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—MOUNT CARMEL DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	Ministerial Support: Support of Pastor: Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Support of Dist. Supt.: Claim	Paid	Support of Bishops: Claim	Paid	Support of Conf. Claim'nts: Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools: Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
1	Albion	Litherland, H. A.	1050	1050	150	....	60	60	15	15	40	40	1165	....	1	15	500
2	Bellmont	Batson, B. H.	814	814	100	....	56	56	12	12	35	35	917	....	3	37	417
3	Benton	McKown, L. S.	1700	1700	....	....	120	75	23	20	48	40	1835	56	1	15	250
4	Big Prairie	McKenzie, E. H.	800	800	100	....	56	56	14	14	37	37	907	....	1	8	225
5	Blnford	.....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Broughton	Oakes, H. F.	537	499	....	38	43	38	13	....	30	6	623	65	5	47	286
7	Bethel	.....	.....	140	....	....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Browns	Phelps, G. A.	975	975	100	....	64	64	14	14	50	50	1103	....	3	48	275
9	Carmi	Culver, O. F.	1500	1500	300	....	96	96	24	24	60	60	1680	....	1	20	215
10	Carrier Mills	Brown, W. M.	950	950	150	....	64	64	8	8	25	25	1047	....	1	37	260
11	Carrier Mills Ct.	Beers, L. G.	300	260	....	40	24	19	4	4	15	15	298	44	3	22	150
12	Christopher	Hall, G. H.	980	980	180	....	64	64	14	14	35	.....	1093	35	1	19	347
13	Crossville	Hall, C. W.	1100	1060	100	40	72	72	20	18	45	45	1237	....	4	38	307
14	Dahlgren	Leyerle, L. M.	725	691	75	34	52	40	....	....	30	25	756	51	3	25	360
15	Eldorado	Whiteside, C. B.	1500	1500	150	....	108	108	24	24	60	60	1692	....	1	34	650
16	Enfield	Bennett, W. E.	1000	1000	150	....	68	68	17	17	42	42	1127	....	3	38	348
17	Equality	Montgomery, E.E.	1050	1000	150	50	68	68	15	12	42	40	1120	55	1	24	260
18	Fortney	Wilson, G. S.	600	600	100	....	40	40	12	12	30	30	682	....	3	26	220
19	Frankfort Heights	Horsley, Otto	720	720	120	....	48	48	13	13	30	30	811	....	1	13	190
20	Galatia	Deweese, J. W.	950	950	150	....	64	33	13	8	30	30	928	129	2	20	220
21	Grayville	Richardson, W. D.	1400	1400	200	....	96	96	22	12	44	20	1516	34	2	23	263
22	Harrisburg	Thrall, L. W.	1680	1680	400	....	96	96	26	26	60	60	1862	....	2	46	1292
23	Ina	Wells, H. N.	650	557	75	93	50	30	12	....	26	.....	587	151	5	75	335
24	Macedonia	Morgan, S. A.	800	780	100	20	56	52	....	6	.....	16	854	24	4	35	390
25	Maunie	Sharp, W. A.	1100	983	100	117	80	76	20	15	50	43	1117	133	2	38	210
26	McLeansboro	Cummins, J. B.	1244	1179	144	65	88	88	24	20	58	40	1307	87	1	16	175
27	McLeansboro Ct.	Prince, C. M.	600	600	....	....	48	48	11	11	30	30	689	....	6	35	321
28	Mill Shoals	Brown, O. E.	785	681	60	104	56	40	13	10	38	16	751	141	5	39	300
29	Mount Carmel	Tucker, J. G.	2200	2200	400	....	144	144	32	32	80	151	2527	....	1	35	698
30	Mount Vernon—Epw.	Mundell, Charles	650	650	150	....	40	40	12	12	35	35	737	....	1	20	185
31	First	Cline, W. T.	2100	2100	300	....	144	144	37	37	120	120	2401	....	1	34	710
32	Wesley	McKnight, H. E.	1050	1050	150	....	72	72	18	18	40	40	1180	....	1	20	392
33	Mount Vernon Ct.	Hopper, W. J.	900	900	150	....	60	60	14	14	35	35	1009	....	6	52	284
34	Lone Oak	Smith, J. M.	125	125	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	....	1	7	85
35	Norris City	Kemper, W. W.	900	900	100	....	64	64	16	16	40	40	1020	....	5	46	430
36	Omaha	Hight, L. M.	800	800	100	....	56	56	14	14	39	10	880	29	4	35	350
37	Opdyke	Hicks, E. F.	700	650	100	50	52	42	16	5	36	20	717	87	2	24	263
38	Ridgway	Connett, O. E.	1100	1100	100	....	80	80	17	17	42	42	1239	....	5	40	400
39	Sesser	Cessna, E. H.	385	370	....	....	44	40	11	3	25	10	423	42	3	20	200
40	Shawneetown	Jones, R. M.	620	658	90	....	56	56	14	14	38	38	779	....	1	12	204
41	Thompsonville	Davis, Webster	660	514	60	145	48	36	13	13	30	20	583	180	5	46	340
42	Waltonville	Watson, J. P.	650	505	100	145	52	33	8	4	30	5	740	197	....	24	225
43	Wayne City	Murry, L. G.	660	561	60	99	48	25	10	1	30	2	589	159	3	40	250
44	West Frankfort	Kinison, J. C.	1200	1200	200	....	80	75	18	15	20	20	1310	8	1	16	479
	Total	.....	40210	39332	3214	1040	2777	2568	632	544	1730	1423	43563	1707	105	1265	14261

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Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
			Probationers		Full Members																	
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach's	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
1	1	....	.....	.....	160	15	...	2	35	....	1	4000	1	200	25	.....	.....	150	12	3	9	1
....	3	....	7	28	249	14	...	4	.....	....	3	10700	1	1500	1200	.....	300	236	....	2	.....	2
....	4	....	12	8	260	40	1	4	50	....	1	3000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	200	....	.....	.....	3
....	.....	....	.....	.....	92	5	...	....	.....	....	1	15000	1	500	.....	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	4
....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	5
8	1	....	21	38	222	64	...	....	.....	....	5	5000	....	.....	128	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	6
6	....	....	12	....	62	.....	...	....	.....	....	1	600	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	7
1	....	....	.....	5	275	40	...	2	.....	....	3	7500	1	1800	.....	.....	800	200	....	5	.....	8
31	1	....	64	24	256	46	1	3	20	45	1	25000	1	4000	130	.....	400	280	....	5	.....	9
15	2	....	13	1	158	7	1	3	.....	....	1	4500	1	1200	300	150	.....	75	....	2	.....	10
5	.....	....	8	2	61	.....	1	.....	.....	....	3	4000	....	.....	370	75	725	50	4	1	3	11
35	15	....	16	10	142	12	1	2	40	79	1	4500	1	1150	508	1357	1650	200	....	.....	.....	12
14	1	....	14	.....	358	.....	...	6	.....	....	4	4200	1	800	58	56	25	49	20	1	19	13
15	2	4	20	1	227	39	1	4	.....	....	4	7000	1	400	256	.....	.....	108	....	1	.....	14
29	4	....	61	10	473	55	1	1	.....	....	1	20000	1	2000	800	790	2900	225	....	5	.....	15
14	5	....	23	1	317	.....	...	3	21	17	3	6600	1	1800	125	.....	.....	125	20	5	15	16
3	7	7	11	7	174	6	...	1	25	30	2	5000	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	4	.....	17
15	.....	....	35	9	115	2	...	3	31	....	3	2700	1	900	400	.....	.....	70	3	3	.....	18
30	4	....	23	1	131	6	...	3	30	....	1	1200	1	600	72	.....	.....	56	....	3	.....	19
....	.....	....	.....	.....	300	40	1	2	.....	....	2	6000	1	1600	.....	.....	.....	60	....	.....	.....	20
50	4	....	2	2	355	30	...	4	3	10	2	19500	1	2500	.....	500	.....	175	20	5	.....	21
26	6	....	.....	1	531	6	1	4	78	13	2	17400	1	2000	1300	.....	.....	445	26	5	.....	22
....	.....	....	5	5	262	8	1	1	7	....	5	9000	1	700	15	.....	.....	45	....	.....	.....	23
5	2	29	20	1	384	18	3	3	100	....	4	7000	1	900	.....	.....	.....	130	....	.....	.....	24
1	....	....	2	1	320	80	1	5	20	15	4	12000	1	1000	6200	.....	1500	160	....	3	.....	25
....	2	....	.....	.....	240	.....	...	5	40	15	1	18000	1	2000	.....	.....	600	225	20	.....	.....	26
10	2	....	19	8	369	.....	1	6	.....	....	6	5000	....	.....	50	.....	.....	25	4	4	.....	27
17	.....	....	17	.....	311	8	2	3	.....	....	5	6000	1	800	.....	.....	100	.....	20	5	15	28
6	10	30	14	15	684	27	...	7	80	100	1	40000	1	8000	544	267	2500	1337	....	5	.....	29
4	1	1	8	4	150	3	...	.....	35	....	1	7000	1	800	.....	.....	1500	246	.....	.....	.....	30
30	28	25	88	8	735	31	2	9	85	100	1	35000	1	5000	100	1080	2290	809	....	.....	5	31
28	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	32
3	.....	....	.....	.....	349	.....	1	....	60	38	6	8000	1	1800	277	.....	.....	50	16	4	.....	33
15	.....	....	24	8	19	.....	...	1	.....	....	1	800	....	.....	700	.....	100	.....	....	.....	.....	34
4	.....	....	6	....	362	30	...	4	.....	....	5	8500	1	1000	200	.....	.....	174	....	.....	.....	35
19	.....	....	19	.....	161	.....	2	13	.....	....	4	4000	1	500	96	.....	.....	50	....	3	.....	36
21	1	....	30	5	221	59	...	3	60	20	2	3000	1	1000	180	.....	.....	120	....	.....	.....	37
18	.....	....	38	6	325	35	2	6	44	2	5	7500	1	800	65	.....	.....	125	....	3	.....	38
5	.....	....	5	.....	245	.....	...	.....	25	....	4	4000	....	.....	210	45	11	100	....	.....	.....	39
37	16	....	65	12	140	5	...	1	37	37	1	2400	1	1500	520	.....	.....	225	....	3	.....	40
4	.....	....	.....	.....	196	10	1	....	60	32	5	7900	....	.....	.....	2500	.....	50	....	.....	.....	41
....	1	....	.....	.....	90	36	1	.....	.....	....	3	3500	1	800	250	.....	.....	70	....	2	.....	42
....	2	....	8	10	160	45	...	5	21	....	5	5000	1	800	210	.....	.....	100	3	.....	3	43
3	24	....	5	2	193	14	1	4	25	15	1	6000	1	1800	475	225	2000	178	....	.....	.....	44
499	148	96	715	233	10834	836	27	187	1032	568	115	373000	35	54650	15764	7045	17401	7023	171	82	69	

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List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	Disciplinary Benevolences											
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.				Board of Education				
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedmen's Aid Society	Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conf. Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Albion	30		13	24		13	5	15	2			5
2	Bellmont	10		20	15		15	3	5			1	10
3	Benton			15			15	3	5	5			2
4	Big Prairie	30					26	4	7			4	
5	Broughton	2	4	6	1		4	1	1				
6	Browns	30			30			9	15	10			
7	Carmi	30		25	30		25	10	28	8		8	
8	Carrier Mills			10			10	1					2
9	Carrier Mills Ct.			2			2						
10	Christopher	10						4		2			4
11	Crossville	37		31	31		26	1	9	4			5
12	Dahlgren	30		7	30		7	1					1
13	Eldorado	122		38	98		38	20	60			7	8
14	Enfield	10			15			6	4			3	
15	Equality			45	20		25	10		3			5
16	Fortney	10		10	5		5	3	5	2			2
17	Frankfort Heights			15			18	4	5	3		3	3
18	Galatia	20			20			3	6			1	
19	Grayville	10			10			2	14	6			
20	Harrisburg	114	1	45	89	5	45	24	40			6	10
21	Ina												
22	Macedonia	10		11	9		11	2	5			2	
23	Maunie	15		11	16		10	5	15			5	4
24	McLeansboro	40		25	30			2	5	15			4
25	McLeansboro Ct.	15			10			2	8	5			1
26	Mill Shoals												
27	Mount Carmel	545		75	520		10	30	100	10		10	30
28	Mount Vernon—First	210		59	200		58	25	70	5			23
29	Epworth												
30	Wesley	21		21						3			4
31	Mount Vernon Circuit	10		10	4		4	3	4	3			2
32	Norris City	20		10	10		20		4				5
33	Omaha												8
34	Opdyke	10			6								
35	Ridgway	25			15			4	10				3
36	Sisset			2			2						1
37	Shawneetown	21		3			20	3		3			4
38	Thompsonville												
39	Waltonville	4		2	4		2						
40	Wayne City												
41	West Frankfort			10			10	1	7				2
	Total	1441	5	521	1242	5	421	191	447	89		50	148

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued											Other Benevolences								Other Items				
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Conference Cl'm'nts: Annual Conf.	Conference Cl'm'nts: Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
.....	128	2	31	122	....	1	....	1	....	392	44	15	2	3	....	1	44	501	40	15	3	559	1
.....	23	3	27	....	....	3	....	....	....	135	20	20	2	4	....	....	16	197	35	12	2	246	2
.....	5	....	57	5	....	....	....	....	....	112	13	....	3	....	....	1	22	151	40	20	....	211	3
.....	34	1	35	5	....	1	....	....	....	147	47	....	2	....	....	....	90	286	37	14	....	337	4
.....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	21	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	61	6	....	....	67	5
.....	....	3	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	100	34	....	....	....	....	....	12	146	50	14	5	215	6
.....	....	2	29	38	....	2	....	1	....	236	90	6	3	8	....	1	63	407	60	24	5	496	7
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	....	2	....	....	....	12	37	25	8	2	72	8
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	2	....	1	5	....	....	6	18	15	4	1	38	9
.....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	25	5	....	2	5	....	....	8	45	.....	14	....	59	10
.....	36	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	180	59	....	....	....	....	....	34	273	45	18	1	337	11
.....	30	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	107	3	....	....	....	....	....	55	165	25	10	1	201	12
.....	....	4	....	25	....	5	....	....	....	425	21	....	3	8	....	....	32	489	60	24	5	578	13
.....	11	2	63	....	....	4	....	....	....	118	34	....	....	....	....	....	7	159	42	17	7	225	14
.....	....	2	1	1	....	2	....	2	....	116	....	....	2	....	....	....	12	130	40	12	4	186	15
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	42	17	....	....	5	....	....	....	64	30	12	3	109	16
.....	12	1	....	....	....	2	....	3	....	69	14	....	1	5	....	....	129	218	30	13	3	264	17
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	52	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	95	30	8	....	133	18
.....	74	2	28	72	....	2	....	1	....	223	21	....	2	6	....	....	10	262	20	12	5	299	19
.....	....	3	6	14	....	8	....	....	....	410	101	....	3	10	....	1	145	670	60	26	5	761	20
.....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	15	5	....	....	5	....	....	117	142	15	....	....	157	21
.....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	53	19	....	....	....	....	....	....	72	16	6	....	94	22
.....	....	2	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	87	37	6	2	7	....	....	5	144	43	15	3	205	23
.....	11	....	38	....	....	....	....	1	....	172	2	....	2	6	....	....	22	204	40	20	5	269	24
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	44	26	....	2	5	....	....	3	80	30	11	4	125	25
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	29	....	....	....	....	....	....	29	16	10	....	55	26
5	13	10	446	498	....	10	....	2	....	2314	48	....	3	12	....	1	74	2452	151	32	5	2640	27
.....	53	4	347	504	....	25	....	5	....	1588	51	60	3	20	....	1	89	1812	120	37	5	1974	28
.....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	35	12	....	50	29
.....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	50	....	....	2	....	....	....	12	64	23	10	2	99	30
.....	....	2	2	2	....	1	....	1	....	48	34	46	2	5	....	2	13	150	35	14	4	203	31
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	69	59	....	2	....	....	....	12	142	40	16	....	198	32
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	30	....	....	....	....	....	....	38	10	14	3	65	33
.....	9	....	20	....	....	....	....	3	....	48	28	....	....	....	....	....	....	76	20	5	....	101	34
.....	23	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	83	38	....	2	2	....	....	67	192	42	17	3	254	35
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	15	10	3	....	18	36
.....	68	2	....	....	....	4	....	3	....	131	9	....	....	5	....	2	....	147	38	14	3	202	37
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	21	20	13	....	34	38
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12	11	....	2	....	....	....	....	25	5	4	2	36	39
.....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	2	1	....	5	40
.....	16	2	....	24	....	....	....	1	....	73	15	....	2	....	....	1	15	106	20	15	....	141	41
5	564	55	1132	1310	....	87	1	28	....	7743	1049	153	52	126	....	11	1126	10260	1421	546	91	12318	

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—OLNEY DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF DISTRICT	NAME OF SUPERINTENDENT	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS		
			Support of Pastor				Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Conf. Claim'nts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
			Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid					
1	Allendale	Wininger, E. G.	850	850	150	....	56	56	6	5	20	5	916	16	3	42	32
2	Bible Grove	Barrett, E. W.	875	803	75	72	64	58	15	12	40	35	908	86	3	26	31
3	Bone Gap	Peake, T. DeWitt	1000	1000	150	....	68	68	16	16	55	55	1139	....	1	32	23
4	Bridgeport	Porter, L. W.	1600	1600	300	....	104	104	25	25	78	80	1809	....	2	37	60
5	Calhoun	Shoaff, H. B.	825	825	100	....	58	58	12	12	42	42	937	....	4	56	41
6	Chauncey	Miller, J. L.	710	486	60	224	52	34	6	2	25	8	530	263	5	65	29
7	Cisne and Rinard	Harshbarger, J.R.	850	850	100	....	60	60	12	12	40	40	902	....	....	....	....
8	Claremont	Fouts, J. C.	650	650	100	....	44	44	8	8	25	25	702	....	5	60	40
9	Clay City	Cullison, C. C.	950	950	150	....	80	80	10	10	40	40	1080	....	2	31	28
10	Dieterich	Flick, I. G.	850	800	100	50	60	57	10	....	30	15	872	78	4	50	40
11	Fairfield	Flint, J. W.	1500	1500	200	....	104	104	25	25	80	85	1714	....	1	39	62
12	Fairfield Ct.	Willey, J. E.	1100	1100	....	....	80	80	12	....	45	25	1205	32	4	31	36
13	Flat Rock	Marriott, Fay	1400	1400	200	....	96	96	20	20	75	75	1591	....	4	50	60
14	Flora	Foltz, M. C.	1500	1500	200	....	104	104	24	24	80	80	1708	....	1	25	55
15	Friendsville	Bedwell, Fred	560	560	60	....	40	40	5	5	15	15	620	....	4	49	35
16	Golden Gate	McClain, T. B.	722	722	72	....	60	60	....	....	....	....	782	....	3	44	30
17	Hutsonville	Weiss, A. S.	1050	1050	200	....	68	68	15	15	45	45	1178	....	3	44	32
18	Iuka	Cisna, William	700	700	60	....	56	56	8	6	30	25	702	....	4	30	20
19	Jeffersonville	Hogue, C. E.	800	674	100	126	56	47	8	6	28	8	735	157	4	24	25
20	Johnsonville	McDuffee, C. E.	750	695	100	55	52	49	10	7	35	15	738	109	4	41	20
21	Lawrenceville	Markman, O. L.	2000	2000	300	....	136	136	30	30	105	105	2271	....	1	33	70
22	Louisville	Albrecht, Samuel	1020	949	120	71	72	67	15	15	55	51	1032	80	4	56	45
23	McCabe	Pritchard, J. B.	190	190	....	....	12	12	3	3	10	3	208	7	2	24	12
24	Mount Erie	Maxfield, O. O.	800	800	100	....	56	56	6	6	35	35	897	....	5	66	75
25	Newton	Smoot, H. W.	1450	1450	250	....	96	96	22	22	72	72	1640	....	1	24	25
26	Noble	Lanter, N. S.	1100	1100	100	....	80	80	18	18	60	60	1258	....	4	48	48
27	Oblong	Phillips, C. R.	1500	1500	300	....	96	96	20	20	60	60	1676	....	1	23	50
28	Oblong Ct.	Rhein, W. L.	1300	1300	300	....	80	80	16	16	50	50	1446	....	6	64	55
29	Olney	Robertson, Ressho	1800	1800	300	....	120	120	28	28	90	90	2038	....	1	40	55
30	Palestine	Goodman, G. R.	1500	1500	300	....	96	96	18	18	70	70	1684	....	1	21	35
31	Pinkstaff	Buchanan, M. G.	807	807	100	....	56	56	10	6	30	25	894	....	4	38	30
32	Robinson	Loar, M. H.	2100	2100	400	....	136	136	20	20	75	75	2231	....	1	40	65
33	Sailor Springs	Mauk, L. R.	675	475	75	200	48	34	12	7	30	20	536	229	4	27	29
34	St. Francisville	Dewhirst, Guy	1050	1050	150	....	72	72	15	15	55	55	1192	....	2	32	35
35	Sumner	Peters, R. M.	1050	1050	150	....	72	72	15	15	60	60	1197	....	1	29	30
36	Sumner Ct.	Curry, C. A.	710	646	60	64	52	48	8	8	30	30	732	68	5	40	20
37	West Liberty	Struebing, G. C.	700	700	100	....	48	48	10	10	35	35	793	....	4	44	36
38	West Salem	Reisner, E. E.	750	750	150	....	48	48	8	8	30	30	836	....	1	19	17
39	Wheeler	Wardell, H. R.	672	672	72	....	48	48	8	2	30	10	732	26	4	24	32
40	Willow Hill	Magill, L. A.	900	900	100	....	64	64	8	8	30	30	1002	....	4	40	22
41	Yale	Hollingsead, K.	650	518	100	132	44	36	8	6	30	22	582	150	4	49	29
42	Xenia	McCracken, J. E.	800	800	100	....	56	56	....	5	.....	27	888	....	2	35	30
	Total		42766	41772	6104	994	2950	2880	545	496	1870	1733	46583	1301	123	1592	1558

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Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
			Probationers		Full Members																	
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach's	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
...	.....	....	.....	.....	255	.....	1	4	55	....	3	10600	1	2000	.....	.....	.....	185	....	3	.....	1
13	.....	....	1	6	302	.....	...	3	50	....	3	3700	...	.....	260	.....	.....	70	....	.....	.....	2
...	4	1	1	1	299	53	...	4	77	....	1	5000	1	1500	4000	.....	.....	180	12	.....	.....	3
60	4	....	60	3	440	33	...	4	45	....	2	24000	1	3000	50	.....	.....	693	....	.....	.....	4
12	.....	....	12	2	301	42	...	2	75	....	4	6500	1	1500	130	.....	.....	200	....	.....	.....	5
42	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	5	7000	1	1800	400	.....	300	160	....	.....	.....	6
...	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	2	3600	1	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	7
80	6	....	97	11	402	10	2	2	.....	....	5	9500	1	800	3500	.....	2000	250	8	2	.....	8
7	.....	....	14	.....	220	8	...	4	68	....	2	17000	1	2500	1627	.....	127	220	5	3	2	9
...	1	....	5	2	301	40	...	...	20	....	4	5400	1	1200	78	68	49	100	....	.....	.....	10
5	5	....	7	2	446	.....	...	9	51	....	1	10000	1	2500	344	.....	.....	341	....	.....	.....	11
20	.....	....	55	27	383	.....	1	6	.....	....	4	5500	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	220	....	.....	.....	12
4	.....	....	4	2	611	15	...	4	75	....	4	28000	1	2000	75	.....	500	450	....	.....	.....	13
9	2	....	16	4	500	30	...	2	20	....	1	25000	1	2800	275	1500	6500	670	....	.....	.....	14
7	3	....	6	.....	390	.....	...	...	50	....	4	6500	1	950	.....	.....	.....	75	....	.....	.....	15
47	.....	....	60	.....	185	.....	1	4	.....	....	3	9000	1	800	452	.....	.....	140	....	.....	.....	16
7	2	7	23	14	228	30	...	...	100	19	3	6000	1	2000	75	.....	.....	186	12	3	.....	17
14	.....	....	14	.....	233	50	1	6	40	....	4	3500	1	750	15	.....	.....	100	....	.....	.....	18
1	.....	....	.....	.....	183	5	1	4	30	10	4	6000	1	2000	675	.....	500	150	....	.....	.....	19
5	.....	....	12	.....	198	.....	1	5	20	....	4	3500	1	500	80	.....	.....	65	....	.....	.....	20
60	10	....	28	5	501	21	...	4	35	....	1	37000	1	3500	300	.....	.....	1304	....	10	.....	21
...	15	....	13	6	330	25	...	6	.....	....	4	9000	1	1500	148	.....	.....	198	....	.....	.....	22
...	.....	....	.....	.....	56	10	...	...	.....	....	2	3000	...	.....	30	.....	.....	60	....	.....	.....	23
6	2	....	7	9	360	25	...	9	37	....	5	8400	1	1200	3250	.....	.....	225	....	3	.....	24
3	11	4	4	4	304	31	1	6	38	75	1	12000	1	3000	.....	.....	800	400	....	.....	.....	25
20	2	....	34	.....	474	52	1	5	22	....	4	12150	1	1200	460	2520	1780	300	....	.....	.....	26
1	6	6	8	.....	310	.....	1	2	40	....	1	36000	1	4000	120	2168	12298	500	20	5	15	27
6	6	....	12	3	515	4	2	4	75	....	6	13000	1	2500	100	.....	.....	250	....	.....	.....	28
12	4	14	39	34	572	10	...	8	82	18	1	35000	1	4000	275	.....	1000	.....	....	.....	.....	29
30	14	....	41	1	331	20	...	4	42	30	1	10000	1	4000	200	.....	.....	185	....	.....	.....	30
10	.....	....	15	10	224	.....	1	3	22	....	4	14000	1	1200	.....	.....	250	112	....	.....	.....	31
12	16	40	.....	.....	460	60	...	5	50	36	1	22000	1	6500	7000	.....	3000	650	....	.....	.....	32
3	1	4	5	5	237	3	5	5	18	....	5	6000	1	1200	25	.....	.....	80	....	.....	.....	33
6	3	....	7	6	234	12	...	1	35	....	2	7000	1	1200	200	100	200	270	....	.....	.....	34
1	.....	4	1	4	243	29	...	2	47	45	1	10000	1	2000	50	.....	.....	200	....	.....	.....	35
1	1	1	5	4	189	12	2	6	30	20	5	5000	1	8000	110	.....	.....	90	....	2	.....	36
2	3	....	.....	.....	247	2	...	5	62	....	4	2400	1	500	162	.....	.....	184	....	.....	.....	37
12	3	2	6	2	105	15	1	4	40	45	1	2000	1	1500	15	125	675	50	....	.....	.....	38
9	.....	....	.....	4	207	25	2	5	.....	....	4	4500	1	600	75	.....	.....	95	....	.....	.....	39
21	2	4	25	4	235	10	...	2	40	46	5	10500	1	800	400	13	.....	161	....	2	.....	40
2	2	....	.....	.....	234	4	1	2	.....	....	4	5000	1	1200	32	30	.....	112	....	.....	.....	41
15	3	2	17	1	171	32	...	3	36	30	3	7000	1	2000	56	350	.....	185	....	.....	.....	42
565	131	89	654	177	12416	718	25	154	1527	374	128	466250	39	81200	25044	6874	29979	10066	57	33	17	

TREASURER'S REPORT—OLNEY DISTRICT

List No.	NAME OF CHARGE	Disciplinary Benevolences											
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.				Board of Education				
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedmen's Aid Society	Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conf. Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Allendale	6			5								
2	Bible Grove	17		8	13		8	4	15			1	2
3	Bone Gap	90		16	54		16	10	12	5		5	4
4	Bridgeport	80	20	32	65		32	15	40			2	8
5	Calhoun	44	10	21	50		10	1				4	3
6	Chauncey	4			3					1			
7	Cisne and Rinard	48						10	19				8
8	Claremont	30		10	15		5	1	3	2			4
9	Clay City	40			23			2					2
10	Dieterich	10			10								
11	Fairfield	120	30	50	55		50	10	6			10	
12	Fairfield Ct.	1			1			1					
13	Flat Rock	157	25	33	148		32	28	60	13		18	7
14	Flora	155		45	105		45	9	50	5			10
15	Friendsville	12			10			2	5			4	
16	Golden Gate	15			15								11
17	Hutsonville		10	40	15		5	6		4			10
18	Iuka	15			13			2					2
19	Jeffersonville	6			4								
20	Johnsonville	11		10	10								
21	Lawrenceville	227	30	55	189		55	42	72	12		33	
22	Louisville	20		11	20		10	5	1	7		2	8
23	McCabe	3			3			1		3			
24	Mount Erie	36		35	21		25	2	10				4
25	Newton	21	30	23	18		22	20	29	15		3	8
26	Noble	40		10	40		10	2	25				3
27	Oblong	47		25	40		20	5	25				5
28	Oblong Ct.	141	45	20	130		20	3	10	5		5	
29	Olney	164	30	51	135		51	32	61			14	11
30	Palestine	40	83	10	40		10	15	34				2
31	Pinkstaff	15		5	12		5	4	4				3
32	Robinson	90	25		90					15			
33	Sailor Springs	7		8	7		5	1	3				
34	St. Francisville	85		31	80		21	17	33	10		5	9
35	Sumner	137	25		119			21	38	5		16	8
36	Sumner Ct.	15		5	17			2		2			1
37	West Liberty			15									13
38	West Salem			10			10	2					2
39	Wheeler	10			10			1	1			1	
40	Willow Hill	8	35	18	8		18			6			4
41	Yale	16		3	12			2	3				7
42	Xenia	18	10	8	18		8	4	3	5			
	Total	2001	408	608	1623		493	282	562	115		123	159

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued											Other Benevolences								Other Items				
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Conference Cl'm'nts Annual Conf.	Conference Cl'm'nts Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
.....	....	....	....	110	....	....	....	....	....	....	121	30	....	2	4	....	....	30	187	5	5	3	200	1
.....	25	1	65	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	161	15	8	2	10	....	....	56	252	35	12	....	299	2
.....	50	....	....	....	36	....	4	....	2	....	304	6	26	....	12	....	....	29	377	55	16	....	448	3
.....	310	4	267	133	....	....	4	....	2	....	1014	28	....	4	10	....	4	425	1485	80	25	....	1590	4
.....	88	....	5	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	240	38	....	....	5	....	....	18	300	42	12	....	354	5
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	9	9	....	....	6	....	....	....	25	8	2	....	35	6
.....	39	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	128	87	....	2	6	....	....	9	232	40	12	....	284	7
.....	....	2	28	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	102	36	....	2	6	....	....	56	202	25	8	2	237	8
.....	35	....	89	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	191	9	....	2	7	....	....	133	342	40	10	3	395	9
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	20	9	1	....	....	....	....	....	30	15	....	....	45	10
.....	184	5	283	168	....	5	....	2	....	....	978	63	19	3	13	....	....	309	1385	85	25	....	1495	11
.....	8	....	31	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	42	84	....	....	7	....	....	76	209	22	....	....	231	12
.....	142	5	140	....	....	10	....	3	....	....	821	71	....	3	13	....	....	18	926	75	20	....	1021	13
.....	70	5	216	138	....	3	....	1	....	....	857	72	....	3	13	....	....	46	991	80	24	....	1095	14
.....	....	2	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	39	13	....	....	4	....	....	62	118	15	5	....	138	15
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	41	....	....	....	....	....	....	140	181	....	....	....	181	16
.....	....	2	45	....	....	2	....	2	....	....	141	6	6	....	....	....	....	125	278	45	15	3	341	17
.....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	37	7	....	....	6	....	....	29	79	25	6	....	110	18
.....	11	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	21	29	....	....	6	....	....	....	56	8	6	....	70	19
.....	33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	65	59	....	....	5	....	....	....	129	15	7	....	151	20
.....	580	5	474	179	....	12	....	1	....	....	1966	334	33	3	20	....	....	28	2384	105	30	10	2529	21
.....	48	3	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	139	40	....	....	7	....	....	5	191	51	15	....	257	22
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	12	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	14	3	3	....	20	23
.....	15	2	40	....	....	1	....	2	....	....	193	54	....	2	6	....	1	31	287	35	6	3	331	24
.....	125	4	168	316	....	4	....	4	....	....	810	86	23	3	12	....	....	44	978	72	22	....	1072	25
.....	58	....	10	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	202	32	....	2	12	....	1	90	339	60	18	....	417	26
.....	294	5	139	3	....	2	....	1	....	....	611	94	....	....	10	....	....	22	737	60	20	5	822	27
.....	193	....	....	5	....	3	....	....	....	....	580	2167	....	3	5	....	....	108	2863	50	16	....	2929	28
.....	70	5	244	257	....	10	....	....	....	....	1135	42	13	....	....	....	....	42	1232	90	28	....	1350	29
.....	12	2	96	51	....	2	....	....	....	....	397	33	49	3	12	....	....	18	512	70	18	....	600	30
.....	9	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	59	5	3	....	6	....	....	....	73	25	6	....	104	31
.....	1000	....	212	682	....	2	....	1	....	....	2117	32	....	....	15	....	....	55	2219	75	20	....	2314	32
.....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	34	18	....	....	....	....	....	....	52	20	7	....	79	33
.....	53	3	114	....	....	6	....	1	....	....	468	70	15	2	12	....	....	....	567	55	15	....	637	34
.....	64	4	82	199	....	8	....	4	....	....	730	3	....	....	12	....	....	27	772	60	15	....	847	35
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	43	28	....	....	5	....	....	....	76	30	8	2	116	36
.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	29	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	35	35	10	1	81	37
.....	20	1	9	....	....	1	....	2	....	....	57	18	....	....	6	....	....	11	92	30	8	....	130	38
.....	19	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	43	6	....	....	6	....	....	180	235	10	2	....	245	39
.....	14	....	5	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	118	58	....	1	....	....	1	19	199	30	8	2	237	40
.....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	45	....	....	1	6	....	....	....	52	22	6	....	80	41
.....	....	2	1	....	....	1	....	3	....	....	81	16	20	2	5	....	....	....	124	27	5	....	156	42
.....	3577	65	2873	2171	....	106	....	35	....	....	15201	3807	216	47	296	....	7	2241	21815	1730	496	34	24075	

STATISTICIAN'S REPORT—RECAPITULATION

List No.	NAME OF DISTRICT	NAME OF SUPERINTENDENT	Ministerial Support												Sunday Schools		
			Support of Pastor				Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Conf. Claim'nts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency			
			Total Cl'm In. House Rent	Total P'd Inc. House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid			Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments
1	Carbondale	Morris, W. T.	40303	39927	5545	797	2728	2703	613	545	1710	1516	44623	1080	94	974	11970
2	Centralia	Rogers, S. A. D.	40329	39850	5262	677	2966	2859	601	570	1839	1759	45016	883	95	1249	12811
3	East St. Louis	Hall, C. C.	49628	42803	6400	854	2892	2832	649	624	1985	1854	47712	1110	64	1007	11751
4	Mount Carmel	Taylor, J. A.	40210	39332	5214	1040	2777	2568	632	544	1730	1423	43563	1707	105	1265	14261
5	Olney	Poole, W. H.	42766	41772	6104	994	2950	2880	545	496	1870	1733	46583	1301	123	1592	15581
	Total		213236	203684	28525	4362	14313	13342	3040	2779	9134	8285	227497	6081	481	6087	66374
	Last Year		200205	195664	29247	5551	16272	15543	2950	2655	8426	7759	220545	7402	500	6169	66625
	Increase		13031	8020					90	124	708	526	6952				
	Decrease				722	1189	1959	1701						1321	19	82	251

TREASURER'S REPORT—RECAPITULATION

List No.	NAME OF DISTRICT	Disciplinary Benevolences											
		Missions							Education			Board of Sunday Schools	
		Board of Foreign Missions			Bd. Home Miss. & Church Exten.			Freedmen's Aid Society	Board of Education				
		Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conf. Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)
1	Carbondale	896	60	556	739	10	520	174	335	73	.....	76	148
2	Centralia	1559	274	399	1355	.....	320	235	495	88	.....	102	128
3	East St. Louis	1330	518	697	1101	.....	586	235	449	102	27	92	180
4	Mount Carmel	1441	5	521	1242	5	421	191	447	89	.....	50	148
5	Olney	2001	408	608	1623	.....	493	282	562	115	.....	123	159
	Total	7277	1265	2781	6060	15	2340	1117	2143	467	27	443	763

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Baptisms			Church Membership						Epworth League		Church Property								Gen. Conf. Expenses			
Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Bap'd Child'n under Instruction as Prob.	Probationers		Full Members				Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Bldgs. and Imp's. on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses—Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid this Year	Balance due for the Quadrennium	List No.
			Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preach's	Deaths During Year														
612	271	186	1013	354	10600	881	24	122	1177	714	98	389100	39	66775	4106	6204	53612	9067	36	26	7	1
400	184	197	585	164	9717	682	19	140	1484	929	102	358300	41	67100	9239	4448	24574	8484	25	52	7	2
257	296	196	455	200	9244	644	17	90	1146	920	72	385500	36	79200	6261	18583	40636	10615	28	48	20	3
499	148	96	715	233	10834	836	27	187	1032	568	115	373000	35	54650	15764	7045	17401	7023	171	82	69	4
565	131	89	654	177	12416	718	25	154	1527	374	128	466250	39	81200	25044	6874	29979	10066	57	33	17	5
3333	1033	764	3422	1128	52811	3761	112	693	6366	3505	515	1972150	190	348925	60414	43154	166202	45255	....	241	.....	
3625	1136	977	6142	1345	53385	3715	122	600	7097	3297	524	2046650	192	347575	61660	39592	192831	41727	939	625	97	
...	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	46	...	93	.....	208	....	.....	....	1350	.....	3562	.....	3528	....	.....	.....	
292	106	213	2720	217	574	.....	10	....	731	....	9	74500	2	.....	1246	.....	26629	.....	....	384	.....	

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Disciplinary Benevolences—Continued										Other Benevolences							Other Items				
Conference Cl'm'nts		Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Cash	Woman's Home Mis. Soc.—Supplies	American Bible Soc.	City Missionary or Church Ext. Society	Central Office Exp. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Creal Springs Orphanage	Old Folks' Home	Monument Fund	Domestic Missions	Holden Hospital	Deaconess Board	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL	List No.
Board of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Annual Conf. Investments																					
18	1151	63	941	3995	....	71	....	40	....	9866	1362	109	55	24	11	9	1790	13226	1508	544	26	15304	1
14	1845	58	1415	3594	....	76	13	49	....	12019	920	559	45	292	....	7	2125	15967	1751	592	54	18365	2
2	1048	68	1287	1578	....	82	....	37	....	9469	621	62	43	191	....	19	2324	12729	1859	616	57	15261	3
5	564	56	1132	1310	....	87	1	28	....	7743	1049	153	52	126	....	11	1126	10260	1421	546	91	12318	4
.....	3577	65	2873	2171	....	106	....	35	....	15201	3807	216	47	296	....	7	2241	21815	1730	496	34	24075	5
39	8185	310	7648	12648	...	422	14	189	....	54298	7759	1099	242	929	11	53	9606	73997	8269	2794	262	85322	

Connectional fund, $250.

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—CARBONDALE DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											COLLECTIONS FOR B. OF S. S.		
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total all Dep'ts, Inc. Cradle Roll & Home Dep't. Ofcrs & Tchrs.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Offic's. & Teachers, Members or Probationers	Scholars, Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted	S. S. Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Church	Sunday School	10% Sunday School Missionary Offering
1	Anna	1	15	210	....	14	239	119	14	35	....	71	3	.....	3
2	Belknap	2	25	250	....	25	300	180	24	....	18	....	3	.....	4
3	Boaz	5	36	300	....	....	416	230	32	170	24	51	2	.....	2
4	Buncombe	3	20	215	....	....	235	65	18	162	54	50	....	.....	.....
5	Cairo	1	41	473	100	78	692	319	41	300	10	437	10	4	4
6	Carbondale	1	26	500	....	....	526	296	25	400	50	216	5	.....	6
7	Carterville	1	18	250	....	50	318	190	18	....	7	147	....	3	.....
8	Chester	1	15	150	....	25	190	140	15	50	....	100	3	.....	20
9	Corinth	3	29	180	20	15	230	150	29	175	100	56	....	.....	1
10	Coulterville	1	14	145	20	15	194	90	13	....	24	60	....	5	.....
11	Crab Orchard	3	19	.....	....	....	145	....	....	....	....	75	....	.....	.....
12	Creal Springs	3	21	239	....	35	260	170	21	180	18	80	....	2	.....
13	Cypress	4	30	325	....	....	325	275	30	....	39	69	....	.....	6
14	Du Quoin	1	25	230	10	12	300	150	25	180	26	180	1	7	6
15	Eddyville	4	30	205	....	....	217	172	28	93	....	53	4	.....	4
16	Elco	1	8	85	....	....	93	70	8	....	25	20	....	.....	.....
17	Elizabethtown	5	33	327	....	33	360	250	31	300	113	100	....	.....	2
18	Elkville	2	24	228	16	25	300	160	24	176	6	100	....	.....	3
19	Golconda	2	16	150	25	89	216	....	16	25	19	125	....	.....	.....
20	Herrin	1	26	300	10	....	425	242	26	195	5	150	5	.....	7
21	Herrin Ct.	2	12	205	....	....	217	135	10	65	20	55	....	.....	.....
22	Johnston City	1	15	250	12	....	265	165	15	....	31	94	....	.....	4
23	Jonesboro	4	39	360	16	38	449	270	38	125	72	150	....	.....	3
24	Makanda	3	14	200	....	....	230	180	13	....	11	62	....	1	.....
25	Metropolis	1	28	300	....	....	328	240	28	....	10	150	5	.....	.....
26	Metropolis Ct.	5	24	150	....	....	174	125	24	....	20	50	3	2	2
27	Marion	1	36	448	23	8	515	287	36	330	4	350	....	7	10
28	Mound City	1	18	175	12	13	218	120	18	75	5	130	....	5	5
29	Mounds	1	28	230	15	30	303	160	28	175	45	70	3	.....	.....
30	Murphysboro	1	34	380	15	47	476	226	32	200	35	381	10	.....	10
31	New Burnsides	5	25	280	55	35	395	295	20	175	17	80	....	.....	.....
32	Olive Branch	2	18	.....	....	....	.....	92	17	....	....	....	....	.....	.....
33	Pinckneyville	1	24	270	50	19	363	175	24	185	20	173	....	.....	8
34	Reevesville	4	....	160	....	....	160	130	22	25	....	65	....	2	.....
35	Sparta	1	15	160	50	15	240	115	15	160	55	120	2	2	4
36	Steeleville	4	47	363	68	32	510	250	47	200	26	230	....	10	2
37	Tamaroa	3	30	.....	....	....	270	180	27	130	5	115	....	1	2
38	Thebes and McClure	2	16	189	....	10	215	160	13	100	10	60	....	.....	2
39	Ullin	4	38	232	9	....	269	172	32	95	23	78	....	.....	.....
40	Vergennes	1	18	155	1	22	196	71	18	80	12	75	4	.....	3
41	Vienna	2	24	160	....	12	196	125	24	100	25	100	....	.....	1
	Total	94	974	9429	518	706	11970	6941	939	466	984	4728	63	51	123

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—CENTRALIA DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											COLLECTIONS FOR B. OF S. S.		
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total all Dep'ts., Inc. Cradle Roll & Home Dep't. Ofcrs & Tchrs.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Offic's. & Teachers, Members or Probationers	Scholars, Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted	S. S. Expenses; Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Church	Sunday School	10% Sunday School Missionary Offering
1	Alma	4	38	243	85	15	343	180	38	193	14	85	5	.....	.....
2	Altamont	1	34	234	40	40	345	175	33	220	10	135	2	.....	2
3	Ashley	1	14	157	....	....	171	90	14	100	3	80	....	2	.....
4	Avena	1	42	.....	....	....	280	210	40	....	2	65	.....	.....	1
5	Beaucoup	3	30	158	....	....	188	126	28	70	4	55	2	.....	.....
6	Beaver Creek	4	37	410	9	....	419	275	35	....	5	165	3	.....	2
7	Beckemeyer and Breese	2	20	130	....	10	160	100	10	....	1	45	4	.....	.....
8	Beecher City	4	32	250	....	....	250	125	31	....	6	45	.....	.....	.....
9	Brownstown	2	31	275	30	14	350	175	31	135	22	125	....	5	1
10	Boulder	1	10	125	35	20	180	80	9	50	....	40	....	.....	.....
11	Carlyle	1	21	160	....	....	181	100	21	140	15	75	....	5	.....
12	Central City	2	14	160	....	....	160	100	14	....	....	140	....	3	.....
13	Centralia	1	46	514	40	180	780	350	46	375	20	431	11	10	9
14	Coffeen and Fillmore	2	33	255	3	5	296	130	28	110	5	125	....	5	.....
15	Donnellson	1	18	160	22	20	220	90	18	80	....	60	....	5	.....
16	Effingham	1	21	350	....	38	409	223	21	110	22	120	.....	.....	5
17	Farina	1	25	.....	17	22	244	95	20	100	6	112	1	.....	3
18	Greenville	1	23	258	40	30	328	180	23	250	7	198	11	.....	5
19	Hagerstown	3	20	250	....	....	270	200	18	150	17	56	....	.....	.....
20	Herrick	2	26	224	....	....	250	140	26	150	25	160	....	.....	2
21	Huey	4	44	350	12	28	390	175	40	200	10	125	.....	.....	.....
22	Irvington	3	20	.....	....	....	254	113	....	....	4	....	.....	.....	.....
23	Kinmundy	1	25	225	50	....	300	150	23	140	16	145	8	.....	.....
24	Laclede	1	22	125	7	14	172	85	20	67	3	84	2	.....	.....
25	Litchfield	2	35	310	46	45	438	275	33	205	27	268	10	7	5
26	Mason	3	40	240	....	15	255	200	40	200	3	150	5	5	.....
27	Moccasin	4	48	210	....	18	280	140	48	....	3	50	.....	.....	.....
28	Mulberry Grove	3	40	360	....	....	360	205	38	175	36	136	1	2	4
29	Nashville	1	17	150	10	15	192	105	16	....	....	100	.....	.....	2
30	Odin	1	10	55	....	20	85	45	10	27	16	35	.....	.....	.....
31	Okawville	1	12	73	....	12	85	61	3	....	....	80	.....	.....	2
32	Panama and New Douglas	2	16	139	....	25	180	70	16	24	12	60	....	4	.....
33	Patoka	2	22	144	16	8	190	120	18	68	25	70	3	.....	3
34	Pocahontas	1	22	155	....	45	225	140	22	75	....	110	1	1	.....
35	Ramsey	1	21	150	4	31	206	92	21	95	....	120	2	1	2
36	Richview	1	15	53	12	20	100	30	15	50	....	50	.....	.....	.....
37	Salem	1	31	296	25	45	397	198	28	150	12	166	1	1	5
38	Sandoval	1	10	123	....	23	146	68	8	17	3	55	....	.....	.....
39	Shobonier	4	50	530	10	10	600	400	50	200	20	100	....	.....	.....
40	Sorento	2	25	318	5	87	410	200	25	200	35	125	....	.....	.....
41	St. Elmo	1	32	400	20	15	467	235	32	180	8	....	....	5	.....
42	Trenton and New Baden	2	30	.....	47	45	336	145	30	57	9	145	.....	.....	.....
43	Vandalia	1	37	465	80	30	612	247	37	299	7	356	9	8	7
44	Vernon	2	27	230	....	....	230	180	25	100	3	....	2	2	2
45	Walnut Hill	3	30	100	....	....	130	80	30	78	....	85	....	2	1
46	Wamac	1	30	124	12	84	220	107	30	....	45	75	....	2	4
47	Watson	4	30	200	....	....	230	170	30	59	19	75	.....	.....	.....
	Total	91	1276	9837	677	1029	13314	7180	1192	4899	500	5082	83	75	67

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—EAST ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											COLLECTIONS FOR B. OF S. S.		
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total all Dep'ts., Inc. Cradle Roll & Home Dep't. Ofcrs & Tchrs.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Offic's. & Teachers, Members or Probationers	Scholars, Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted	S. S. Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Church	Sunday School	10% Sunday School Missionary Offering
1	Alton—First Church	1	25	344	15	35	394	265	25	....	....	184	19	6	10
2	Washington Ave.	1	10	....	....	....	130	80	10	....	....	42	1	....	....
3	Wesley	1	19	358	71	41	489	173	19	137	4	154	9	....	4
4	Batchtown	3	24	200	....	25	249	125	21	130	6	84	....	....	....
5	Belleville—Epworth	2	20	175	....	30	225	126	15	30	....	85	....	....	3
6	First	1	25	314	46	....	360	210	22	140	20	192	....	7	....
7	Bethalto	3	40	218	35	47	340	206	40	165	8	140	2	....	2
8	Brighton	1	17	113	....	....	130	95	17	85	50	90	5	....	3
9	Bunkerhill	3	26	220	20	21	261	130	24	105	16	35	....	5	2
10	Collinsville	1	28	450	....	....	475	280	28	....	4	100	....	2	....
11	East St. Louis—Alta Sita	1	26	162	....	....	188	116	25	80	19	176	....	4	....
12	Bond Ave.	1	14	225	....	....	225	103	13	60	9	78	....	1	2
13	Century	1	9	86	....	20	115	60	9	15	4	60	....	....	....
14	First Church	1	46	835	40	15	890	472	46	670	33	425	....	....	20
15	Slavonic Mission	1	9	140	....	40	152	50	9	8	6	27	....	1	....
16	State St.	1	20	250	....	20	250	140	20	200	20	81	....	....	8
17	Edwardsville	1	24	413	160	50	647	201	20	262	....	142	19	....	6
18	Elsa	4	59	268	41	42	367	165	45	80	....	216	....	....	....
19	Freeburg	....	....	155	....	....	155	100	....	....	....	48	....	....	....
20	Gillespie	1	34	402	230	74	740	311	32	....	12	250	9	....	....
21	Gillespie Circuit	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
22	Glen Carbon	2	17	140	....	....	140	110	9	45	39	42	....	....	....
23	Godfrey	1	10	88	....	13	101	47	10	35	....	50	2	....	3
24	Grafton	3	30	200	....	....	200	150	....	....	....	80	....	2	....
25	Granite City—Dewey Ave.	1	17	200	....	....	217	175	16	70	....	100	....	....	....
26	Niedringhaus	1	47	688	45	42	775	386	47	390	70	232	....	....	15
27	Hamburg	3	30	268	7	5	313	198	26	....	5	90	....	....	1
28	Jerseyville	1	36	325	65	50	440	220	35	375	5	200	5	6	9
29	Kane	1	19	165	20	27	235	96	19	....	....	85	....	4	2
30	Lebanon	1	32	172	13	14	231	163	31	....	28	145	7	7	5
31	Madison	1	20	140	10	30	180	100	19	100	....	100	....	....	3
32	Marissa	1	28	....	....	....	285	140	23	285	5	120	....	....	....
33	Medora	1	22	110	20	24	176	75	22	97	6	135	3	4	4
34	Mount Olive	1	13	112	30	28	170	67	....	....	4	60	....	3	....
35	O'Fallon	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
36	Piasa	2	38	146	68	5	257	126	38	194	3	96	....	3	4
37	Plainview	3	32	107	....	14	143	73	....	25	6	54	....	....	....
38	Shiloh and Caseyville	1	7	65	....	15	85	44	3	....	....	35	....	....	....
39	Shipman	1	27	113	12	12	164	80	27	140	2	75	3	2	3
40	Signal Hill	1	8	67	....	36	111	57	8	....	1	137	1	....	....
41	St. Jacobs	1	....	60	....	....	....	34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
42	Staunton	2	37	323	30	45	435	236	34	90	....	140	....	....	7
43	Tilden	1	16	189	....	29	234	85	16	263	10	64	....	....	1
44	Troy	2	29	170	....	23	220	120	29	55	18	88	1	1	1
45	Venice	1	14	120	....	....	134	85	6	....	....	50	....	....	3
46	Waterloo and Renault	2	25	....	....	....	200	60	....	....	5	75	....	....	....
	Total	64	1007	9296	978	872	11751	6335	858	4331	418	4862	86	58	121

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—MOUNT CARMEL DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											COLLECTIONS FOR B. OF S. S.		
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total all Dep'ts., Inc. Cradle Roll & Home Dep't. Ofcrs & Tchrs.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Offic's. & Teachers, Members or Probationers	Scholars, Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted	S. S. Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Church	Sunday School	10% Sunday School Missionary Offering
1	Albion	1	15	170	....	15	200	100	15	100	2	95	....	3	2
2	Bellmont—Bethel	3	37	310	20	50	417	265	35	176	23	160	....	.....	10
3	Benton	1	15	200	....	....	250	100	15	....	25	....	....	.....	.....
4	Big Prairie	1	8	100	17	....	125	50	8	25	....	20	4	.....	.....
5	Bluford	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
6	Broughton	3	47	235	....	4	286	260	39	119	29	....	....	.....	.....
7	Browns	3	48	258	....	17	275	160	48	250	1	85	....	.....	4
8	Carmi	1	20	170	....	25	215	110	20	160	37	150	8	.....	.....
9	Carrier Mills	1	37	260	....	....	260	185	35	100	12	48	....	.....	.....
10	Carrier Mills Ct.	2	22	.....	.....	.....	150	140	22	75	5	12	....	.....	.....
11	Christopher	1	19	300	20	35	374	175	19	150	50	141	....	4	.....
12	Crossville	4	38	275	....	20	307	160	38	175	20	150	....	.....	5
13	Dahlgren	3	25	299	10	26	360	235	24	230	15	126	....	.....	1
14	Eldorado	1	34	650	....	....	684	474	33	375	15	294	7	.....	8
15	Enfield	3	38	314	24	10	352	219	38	221	21	142	2	5	2
16	Equality	1	24	183	28	25	260	190	22	4	2	184	....	.....	.....
17	Fortney	3	26	208	....	12	220	175	23	100	26	132	....	.....	2
18	Frankfort Heights	1	13	150	20	20	190	110	13	16	25	102	....	3	3
19	Galatia	2	20	220	....	....	240	100	20	200	8	100	1	.....	.....
20	Grayville	2	23	225	....	25	.....	263	23	160	25	115	....	2	.....
21	Harrisburg	2	46	1200	....	46	1292	653	40	472	51	560	6	.....	10
22	Ina	5	75	260	....	....	335	300	75	325	26	76	....	.....	.....
23	Lone Oak	1	7	85	....	....	85	69	5	26	19	9	....	.....	.....
24	Macedonia	4	35	390	....	....	390	230	35	....	18	....	....	.....	.....
25	Maunie	2	38	190	....	20	210	96	38	125	20	100	5	.....	4
26	McLeansboro	1	16	.....	....	12	175	85	16	75	....	60	4	.....	.....
27	McLeansboro Ct.	6	35	284	.....	.....	321	200	36	....	19	30	....	1	.....
28	Mill Shoals	5	39	300	.....	.....	300	45	39	....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
29	Mount Carmel	1	530	35	....	75	698	340	35	450	27	238	10	15	15
30	Mount Vernon Ct.	6	52	284	.....	.....	336	252	52	224	11	106	....	.....	2
31	Mount Vernon—Epworth	1	20	165	....	....	185	115	20	75	15	100	....	.....	.....
32	First	1	34	635	40	35	710	304	34	497	80	260	....	.....	.....
33	Wesley	1	20	350	....	22	392	....	20	....	20	85	18	18	4
34	Norris City	5	46	.....	.....	.....	430	.....	46	....	1	120	....	.....	2
35	Omaha	4	35	350	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	8
36	Opdyke	2	24	251	....	12	263	135	22	150	40	70	....	.....	.....
37	Ridgway	5	40	380	10	10	400	250	40	200	50	100	....	.....	3
38	Sesser	3	20	200	....	....	200	160	20	....	5	80	....	.....	.....
39	Shawneetown	1	12	180	....	12	204	92	10	99	45	137	....	.....	4
40	Thompsonville	5	46	272	12	10	340	190	46	160	10	77	....	.....	.....
41	Waltonville	3	24	225	....	....	225	125	20	....	....	45	....	.....	.....
42	Wayne City	3	40	210	....	....	250	195	35	148	5	45	....	.....	.....
43	West Frankfort	1	16	425	20	18	479	225	16	125	25	135	....	.....	2
	Total	107	1759	11198	221	556	13385	225	1225	5769	837	4489	65	48	91

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS—OLNEY DISTRICT

	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											COLLECTIONS FOR B. OF S. S.		
		Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total all Dep'ts., Inc. Cradle Roll & Home Dep't. Ofcrs & Tchrs.	Average Attendance of all Grades	Offic's. & Teachers, Members or Probationers	Scholars, Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted	S. S. Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Church	Sunday School	10% Sunday School Missionary Offering
1	Allendale	3	42	328	....	32	402	325	39	161	....	150	....	.....	.....
2	Bible Grove	3	26	262	12	10	310	137	26	200	20	75	1	.....	2
3	Bone Gap	1	32	236	10	27	273	160	32	198	4	120	....	.....	.....
4	Bridgeport	2	37	535	....	30	602	345	37	300	40	230	2	.....	8
5	Calhoun	4	56	334	....	20	410	250	52	295	30	170	....	4	3
6	Chauncey	5	15	295	....	....	295	250	65	275	70	100	....	.....	.....
7	Cisne and Rinard	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Claremont	5	60	316	8	16	400	315	60	300	104	140	....	4	.....
9	Clay City	2	31	225	40	20	316	145	30	....	22	186	....	.....	.....
10	Dieterich	4	50	300	25	30	405	150	48	150	5	100	....	.....	.....
11	Fairfield	1	39	440	100	50	629	250	39	305	20	260	10	.....	.....
12	Fairfield Ct.	4	31	251	30	17	369	267	27	....	53	51	....	.....	.....
13	Flat Rock	4	50	600	....	....	650	450	50	400	4	175	18	.....	7
14	Flora	1	25	375	100	50	550	235	24	350	20	175	....	.....	.....
15	Friendsville	4	47	301	....	....	350	250	49	200	10	50	4	.....	.....
16	Golden Gate	3	44	300	....	....	344	180	....	42	70	....	....	16	16
17	Hutsonville	3	44	256	....	25	325	225	37	160	25	110	5	.....	5
18	Iuka	4	30	200	....	....	200	150	30	75	15	84	....	.....	.....
19	Jeffersonville	4	24	255	....	....	279	135	24	....	....	....	....	.....	.....
20	Johnsonville	4	41	159	....	....	200	145	38	....	10	60	....	.....	.....
21	Lawrenceville	1	33	561	15	100	709	410	33	250	25	425	33	.....	.....
22	Louisville	4	56	330	42	25	453	255	52	220	20	150	2	6	2
23	McCabe	2	24	108	12	....	120	80	24	50	....	50	....	.....	.....
24	Mount Erie	5	66	678	32	47	757	350	64	....	21	190	....	4	.....
25	Newton	1	24	205	22	23	250	155	24	182	14	129	3	3	5
26	Noble	4	48	386	6	45	485	273	48	....	....	....	....	.....	.....
27	Oblong	1	23	475	....	25	500	304	23	300	5	93	....	.....	5
28	Oblong Ct.	6	64	436	....	51	551	416	60	440	15	252	5	.....	.....
29	Olney	1	40	458	37	22	557	284	39	355	41	200	14	.....	11
30	Palestine	1	21	317	14	27	358	205	21	213	41	201	....	.....	2
31	Pinkstaff	4	38	260	....	....	300	....	36	....	36	145	....	.....	3
32	Robinson	1	40	614	....	36	650	380	35	....	....	232	....	.....	.....
33	Sailor Springs	4	27	270	18	11	299	200	24	157	7	45	....	.....	.....
34	St. Francisville	2	32	304	....	20	356	237	32	160	8	200	5	4	5
35	Sumner	1	29	241	25	10	305	160	25	170	5	160	16	8	.....
36	Sumner Ct.	5	40	160	....	....	200	140	38	....	10	72	....	.....	1
37	West Liberty	4	44	312	16	41	369	221	36	....	26	198	....	13	.....
38	West Salem	1	19	145	....	30	175	100	19	125	21	100	....	.....	2
39	Wheeler	4	24	300	....	....	324	30	16	....	12	40	1	.....	.....
40	Willow Hill	4	40	191	12	9	222	176	36	104	32	104	....	.....	4
41	Yale	4	49	181	....	25	292	166	49	200	4	106	....	5	2
42	Xenia	2	35	276	16	8	335	126	34	130	14	112	....	.....	.....
	Total	123	1540	13176	592	912	15876	9032	1475	6467	879	5440	119	67	83

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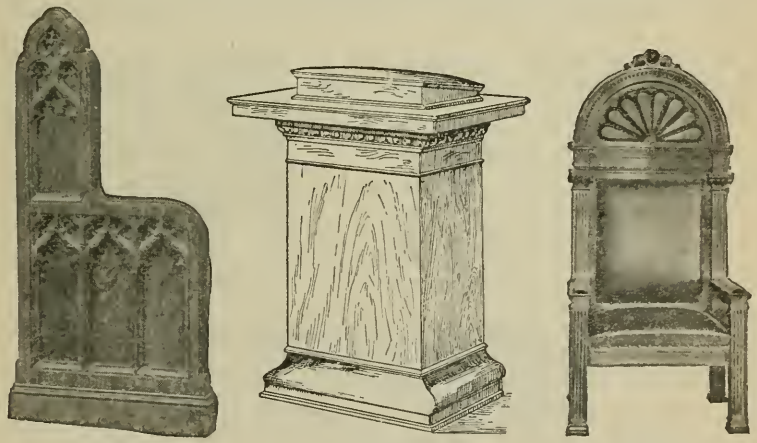

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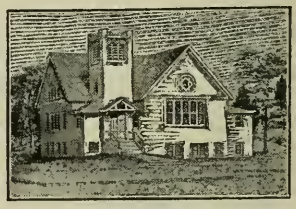

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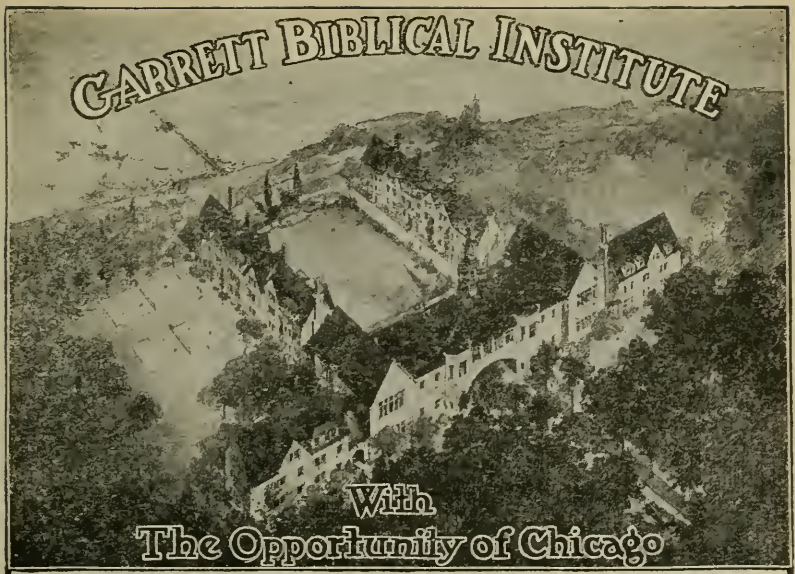

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